Schuler named to three-member county transit district

By JUDY TAPLIN

Mayor Paul Schuler of Granite City was among three persons appointed Wednesday to Madison County's new mass transit district board by county board chairman Nelson Hagnauer of Granite City.

Also appointed were Violet Tucker, Collinsville Towship supervisor, and Bill Haine, Madison County board member from Alton. All three are Democrats.

Formation of the transit district—which will impose up to a one-fourth percent sales tax to subsidize bus service—was approved at the county board's November meeting for a one-year trial period.

Although the three nominees won confirmation easily, several sources on the county board said they regard Schuler's appointment as a political move on the part of Hagnauer, and a boost for Schuler's chances to win re-election as mayor next April. County Board Member Dan Partney of Granite City, who plans to oppose Schuler for mayor of Granite City in next April's election, voted no on Schuler's appointment.

Opposition sources point to what they believe are the more solid qualifications of Gene Brombolich, Collinsville mayor, for the job. Both Brombolich and Alton mayor Paul Lenz were considered for membership on the transit board.

State law authorizing transit districts for Madison, St. Clair and Monroe counties stipulates that each board be composed of a mayor, a county board member and a township supervisor.

Hagnauer said he is not sure what course would be taken in the event either Schuler or Mrs. Tucker is voted out of office in April. He told reporters he will ask the state's attorney's office to determine whether the new officeholders would then join the transit board or whether he would be required to appoint replacements.

In the event he is to appoint new transit board members after the April election, he would make sure the three major geographical areas—Alton, Collinsville and Granite City—were represented, he said.

Haine, the county board's representative on the transit board, had introduced the resolution creating the transit board for a one-year trial period.

In voting against Schuler's appointment, Partney said Schuler had only attended 30 of 77 meetings when Schuler was a Bi-State Commissioner.

Partney told a reporter he is certain that membership on the transit board will require a large amount of time and effort and Schuler's record as a former Bi-State commissioner indicates he was not willing to take the time then, so he probably wouldn't now, Partney contended.

Partney noted that Hagnauer, seeking re-election as Granite City Township Supervisor, and Schuler, for mayor, are running on the same ticket.

The Monroe County board this month approved formation of a transit district for a six-month period.

The St. Clair County board will cast its vote Dec. 29, three days before the deadline set by Bi-State Transit for a promise of financial help

The bus company has outlined drastic cuts in service which will take place Jan. 1, if local funding to subsidize the transit system is not provided.

At present, the state of Illinois turns the sales tax revenue from the three counties over to Bi-State. That drops back to a about $3 million in January, but will go to $6 million if the transit

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City ok's study for bond issue

By GARY SCHNEIDER
of the Press-Record

Granite City officials agreed Tuesday night to give Sidener Supply Co. a hand in a proposed $700,000 project to move the company's St. Louis headquarters to Granite City and to relocate its current business and yard near the site of the company's proposed new headquarters, behind Pre-Coat Metals on Route 3 north of West Pontoon Road.

Sidener plans to acquire 5.95 acres there to be used for the business and headquarters. A resolution was presented before Tuesday night's Granite City Council meeting asking the city to conduct a feasibility study to determine if it would be plausible for the city to issue up to $700,000 in industrial revenue bonds to aid Sidener in the project.

City Attorney John Papa, who drafted the resolution, said the city would not be bound by the resolution to go through with issuing the bonds, since it calls only for a feasibility study on the issue. The aldermen then passed the resolution unanimously, but not without some comment.

Alderman Lloyd Bailey said he was upset that Sidener planned to vacate its property at 19th and Adams streets, after the city paid for an access roadway to the property from 20th Street along the railroad tracks.

The city provided the access roadway and fencing to compensate Sidener after construction of the 19th Street overpass cut off Sidener's former entrance.

Mayor Paul Schuler did not elaborate, but did say that Sidener "has other plans for the present facility,"

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NIEDRINGHAUS UNITED METHODIST CHURCH, 20th Street and Delmar Avenue, is honored by the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce in appreciation for the decision to remain in the downtown area and rebuild the church, adding to the restoration of the downtown business district. From the left are: Joe Wallace, chairman of the administrative board of the church holding plaque; the Rev. Louis Frick, pastor of the church, and Ernest Karandjeff Jr., president of the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce.

City's revenue fund 'appears' in violation

Granite City appears to be in non-compliance with the rules of the federal revenue sharing program by denying handicapped persons accessibility to city council meetings or to the city's main library, the city council was informed in a letter from the revenue sharing office in Washington, D.C., read at Tuesday night's regular council meeting.

In the letter, drafted by Johnny M. Franklin, program specialist with the civil rights division of the revenue sharing office, the council was informed that inaccessibility of the handicapped to city council meetings, which are on the top floor of the city hall, and to the main library, which is reached only by a long stairway, seems to violate the non-discrimination guidelines governmental bodies must follow if they receive revenue sharing funds, as Granite City does.

In the letter, Franklin says, "The office of revenue sharing is in receipt of a communication which alleges entitlement (revenue sharing) funds have been used by your government in a manner in violation of section 122(a) of the state and local Fiscal Assistance Act of 1972, as amended.

"Specifically, it is alleged that the city council meetings for the city of Granite City are inaccessible to the handicapped, because the meetings are held on the top floor of the city hall building, which has no entrance ramps nor elevators.

"It is further alleged that the main library is inaccessible in that it can only be entered by climbing several steps. Ramps are not provided...The branch library is accessible, but there are many limitations.

"The collection of books falls short of the selection of books available at the main library, it is open for shorter periods of time and there is no procedure to transport books from the main library to the branch to be used by the handicapped," the letter continues.

It cites specific federal rules outlawing discrimination on the grounds of race, color, national origin, sex, age, religion or handicapped status by any governmental agency receiving federal funds.

The letter explained that it was not a notice of non-compliance, but was a warning that there is apparent non-compliance and a staff member from the revenue sharing office would

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Trade zone site in GC approved

St. Louis Metropolitan Area Foreign Trade Zone 31, located at the Tri-City Regional Port District in Granite City, has received an additional grant of authority from the Foreign Trade Zones Board in Washington, D.C., to begin foreign trade zone operations in a 95,000 square foot warehousing facility at 1603 State St.

Approval by the Foreign Trade Zone Board was granted Nov. 21, it was announced this week. The ruling will allow foreign trade zone procedures to be used in the St. Louis metropolitan area immediately, officials said.

The Tri-City Regional Port District, headed by General Manager Carl A. Ranft, will continue its plans to develop the zone in the 47 acres previously designated as Foreign Trade Zone 31 within the Port's 127-acre industrial park near the Chain of Rocks Canal.

The trade zone site newly approved offers rail and motor carrier services, warehousing and handling, as well as all customs procedures necessary to operate such a facility.

The warehouse was formerly the headquarters of the Tri-City Grocery Co. Its location is within the St. Louis Customs Port of Entry.

The warehouse is operated by Fox Industries, Inc.

Oscar A. Nazetta of the Tri-City Regional Port District staff is the

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Venice city officials criticize census list

By MICK STRANGE
of the Press-Record

The preliminary census figures for 1980 show the population of Venice at 3,418 with 1,279 homes, a decrease in population of 1,162 from the 1970 census which showed 4,680 people in Venice.

The 1950 census listed 6,226 and the 1960 census listed 5,279 residents of the city.

The method of taking the census came under criticism by the Venice council at the Tuesday evening meeting.

"I believe this is the worst conducted census in the history of this country. The forms were too personal and too lengthy. It took me 45 minutes to fill mine out," Venice Mayor Tyrone Echols said.

Other problems noted with the census was that many of the people would not cooperate as the census bureau sent "strangers" into the town for the information.

Mayor Echols noted that he did not feel there would be much change in the figures and this would hurt the city financially as much of the federal government funding is based on the figures.

"We read in the papers about the woes of East St. Louis. Well, we are getting to that point too. There are rumors that Conalco may be going down and this census does not paint a good picture for the future. We are facing some rough financial times and there are some things that we have been doing in the past, like Christmas baskets, which we are getting to the point we just might not be able to afford them in the future," Echols said.

Venice Alderman Victor Valentine Sr., a Conalco employee, said, "Conalco has no thought of closing at this time. I think the article in the Press-Record went a bit overboard. The company is hoping for an increase in business. There is some question on how much of the operation will be moved to Ohio."

The McKinley Bridge traffic report for November 1980 showed a daily average of 10,032 vehicles crossing, with a monthly total of 300,953. This is a decrease of 212 vehicles over November 1979.

The police report for November 1980 indicated $950 in fines collected and 35 arrests made.

HANDMADE ORNAMENTS highlight the African American Christmas tree currently on display in the lobby of the First National Bank in Madison. This is the fourth year an ethnic-type tree has been displayed at the bank. From the left are: Mrs. Barbra Madison of the Madison County Urban League, Dr. Lula Locket of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, national corresponding secretary for the Society of Ethnic and Special Studies (SESS); Dr. Emil Jason, national president of SESS and associate vice-president of SIUE; Dr. Amos Cofield, president Gateway Chapter SESS; Miss Louella Hawkins of SIUE, Mrs. Fran C. McCollum instructor of Afro-American Literature and director of student services at SIU-East St. Louis Campus, and Jerry Collier of SIUE. (Story on Page 12).

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weather

Increasing cloudiness and colder this afternoon. High about 40 today, dropping later today. Partly cloudy and cold tonight with a chance of snow flurries. Low tonight 15 to 20. Friday high near 30. Saturday through Monday cold with highs in low 20s and lows 10-15.

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Rail merger may improve access to coal, grain here

The Interstate Commerce Commission may rule in 1981 on the proposed merger of the Norfolk and Western Railway and Southern Railway.

The two major railroads seek to operate as a consolidated system under a holding company called NWS Enterprises, Inc.

The system is to serve a territory of 21 states including this area; operate a rail network of 18,100 miles; employ about 46,000 people, and generate annual revenues of $3 billion.

Three years after consummation, the railroads project annual benefits of $95 million. More efficient routing over the system can result in yearly savings for all railraods of five million gallons of diesel fuel, it has been estimated.

NWS would own all of the common stock, of both railroads. Day-to-day operations would continue to be directed by officers of the separate lines.

The formal application to the ICC this month is the culmination of six months of planning which saw the managements of the two companies reach agreement on the consolidation in June, approval by the two boards of directors in July, and stockholder approval on Nov. 7.

By law, the ICC must reach a decision on the application within 31 months, but the consolidation most recently approved by the ICC was concluded in substantially less time.

NW and Southern said their consolidation would "Coordinate operation of two of the nation's most efficient and best managed railroads into a single system.

"Our case before the ICC will include three specific areas of improvement that will make the combined system more efficient and competitive than either line could be on its own.

"These are (1) single system service over much greater distances, (2) greater opportunity and scope for run-through trains, and (3) physical consolidation of yard operations at many common points, and joint use of other facilities."

An "end-to-end" consolidation, the NWS system would unify the 7,900-mile NW, which stretches from Norfold, Va., west to Kansas City, Mo., and North into the key markets of Chicago, Detroit and Cleveland, with the 10,200-mile Southern.

The Southern blankets the Southeast, from New Orleans, La., Mobile, Ala., and Palatka, Fla., north to Cincinnati, O., and Washington, D.C.; and from Madison and St. Clair counties, Ill., and Memphis, Tenn., eastward to the Atlantic ports of Norfolk, Va., Morehead City, N.C., Charleston, S.C., Savannah and Brunswick, Ga., and Jacksonville, Fla.

The railroads connect at 17 common points, with major connections at East St. Louis; Cincinnati; Bristol, Altavista, Danville, Lynchburg, Norfolk and Norton, all in Virginia; and Winston-Salem and Durham, in North Carolina.

The companies predict increased efficiency in routing, handling and interchange of traffic; substantial savings from utilization of NW and Southern resources for the benefit of the system as a whole; and considerable economies from elimination of redundant facilities.

"A principal benefit will be the establishment of five new major routes: the Altavista Gateway Route, The Lynhburg-Knoxville Cutoff Route, the Mid-South Corridor Route, The Kansas City Gateway Route and the Shenandoah Corridor Route," the railroads said.

"Over these new routes, run-through and inter-road trains will provide substantially improved service in both the north-south and east-west directions.

"Single-system service from (Southern Railway) points in the Southeast will be offerd by shorter, more efficient routes to the North via the Hagerstown, Md., gateway, to the Midwest via the Altavista, Bristol, Lynchburg and Cincinnati gateways, and to the West via the St. Louis and Kansas City gateways.

"NW points in the Midwest such as Chicago, Detroit and Cleveland will similarly obtain single-system service to such Southern Railway points as Atlanta, Birmingham, New Orleans and Memphis."

As an example of greater efficiency through single-carrier service, Southern and NW expect to use the Lynchburg-Knoxville Cutoff route to shorten the distance for single-system service from Memphis, Tenn., to Potomac Yard near Washington, D.C., by 159 miles, from 1,073 miles to 914 miles, over the combined system.

"These new routes and through trains will assure more reliable single-system service over shorter routes, thus saving fuel and returning traffic to fuel-efficient railroads," they said.

The application to the ICC also projects expected cost savings through consolidation of certain shop and repair functions.

For example, NW has car shops at Roanoke, Va., which can construct open-top hoppers, covered hoppers for grain hauling and open gondolas for a variety of loads.

The cost is regarded substantially less than an outside supplier would charge, and the Roanoke shops are operating well below their maximum capacity at present. At Roanoke, NW says it can build more cars, for both railraods, more efficiently, and enable them to minimize costs, to ultimately benefit shippers.

Also, Southern has a rail-welding plant in Atlanta, which has the capacity to produce continuous welded "ribbon" rail for both railroads.

They also expect better utilization of existing car fleets and a resulting reduction in additional equipment needs.

"Freight will move faster, costs will be lower, railroad cars will spend less time in transit, we will be using less fuel, and we will have more opportunities to move cars loaded in both directions or to develop so-called triangular movements," the companies said.

They added that better use of facilities is anticipated as a result of carefully planned consolidation of certain freight yard operations at common points. At Cincinnati, NW's older and smaller Clare Yard will be retired and both lines will use Southern's large Gest Street Yard.

Coal mined on NW lines will have single-system access to ports and power plants served by Southern.

Grain, available in abundance on NW's Midwestern lines, will move via single-system service to the historically grain-deficit southeastern region.

$1,900 RINGS GONE

Diamond wedding and engagement rings valued at approximately $1,900 are missing from the home of Oma Farmer, 920 Iowa St., Madison, police were informed Thursday. There were no signs of forced entry to the home.

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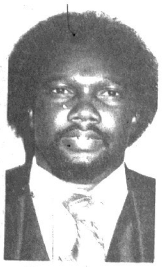

MacARTHUR LUCAS, Venice, is the new president of the Madison Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP). Other officers elected last week are Helen King, first vice-president; Melvin Miller, second vice-president; W. E. Dennis, corresponding secretary; Delora Lowery, recording secretary, and Oliver Mason, treasurer. The Rev. John Henry Williams is the retiring local NAACP president.

(Press-Record Photo)

Conservation area proposed

A vast 200-acre conservation area that would be left untouched in Nameoki Township was proposed to the Metro-East Sanitary District in a meeting here Monday.

The 200-acre area is located between the two Black Lanes and would involve an agreement that still must be approved by the district.

Miss Judy Faulkner of Springfield, Ill., a representative of the Department of Conservation outlined the plan in Monday's meeting and presented a slide demonstration of the area.

The agreement will be prepared by the Department of Conservation and presented later to the district.

The board of trustees also voted Monday to sue or garnishee William and Joseph Radman of Madison for sewer fees allegedly owed the district for properies owned by the Radmans. The board said action will be taken if the fees are not paid within ten days.

Walter "Shang" Greathouse, board president, presented a letter from the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency in which it was suggested the district give to Cahokia the main sewer trunk line which is in disrepair for an improvement project.

The cost of replacing the line is estimated at $15 million.

Board members suggested that it is impossible to merely repair the line which is broken in several places because high river stages would result in similar damage. No definite action was taken.

The board approved plats for the Wilson Park Estates and Lueders Estates, but let it to the city of Granite City to work out drainage matters.

9 WINDOWS BROKEN

A vandal used rocks to break nine windows in the Mathews Chevrolet service department, it was discovered Monday.

Enrollment for Medicare in January

People who failed to sign up for medical insurance under Medicare, or who once had this protection but dropped it, will have a chance to obrtain medical insurance during the 1981 general enrollment period, January through March.

Protection for people who sign up during the general enrollment period will start July 1, 1981.

Medical insurance is that part of Medicare which helps pay for doctor bills, outpatient hospital services, and many other medical items and services not covered under hospital insurance.

Medical insurance premiums are presently $9.60 per month.

Medicare is available to all Social Security recipients at age 65.

The recipients have the option of accepting or declining medical insurance. People who decline at age 65 must wait until the next general enrollment period to enroll.

Premiums are increased ten percent for each full year a person could have had protection but did not.

The Social Security Administration is urging people to carefully consider the consequences of declining medicare protection.

A "Medicare Handbook" is available at each Social Security office. This booklet explains deductibles and services covered by Medicare.

To obtain a free copy of the "Medicare Handbook" or to file for Medicare, Quad-Cityans may telephone the Social Security office at 274-4100 or, toll free, by asking the operator for Enterprise 1-555.

NAVY TRAINING FOR CLARENCE E. CHISM

Navy Fireman Recruit Clarence E. Chism, son of Robert J. and Carol Fischer of 25 Kaseberg Park, Pontoon Beach, has completed eight-week recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

Included in his studies were seamanship, close-order drill, Naval history and first-aid. Personnel who complete this course are eligible for three hours of college credit in physical education and hygiene. A 1980 graduate of Granite City High School North, he joined the Navy in September.

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How to compare food processors

By CATHERINE MAUCK
Home Economics Adviser

If your letter to Santa this year is topped with a hint for a food processor, you may want to consider giving the jolly old elf a hand by also hinting about the exact model you'd like so neither you nor Santa is disappointed later.

Food processors have been available to the American public since 1973, and today a wide variety of these appliances are stocked by retailers.

The processors consist of several basic components — a motor base with a shaft connected to the motor, a work bowl, blades or discs, and a bowl cover and food pusher — that can be compared when trying to select one model or type over another.

All food processors slice, chop, grate, shred, beat, blend, knead, puree and emulsify.

But they do not beat egg whites to high volume, whip cream to a thick and fluffy consistency, slice or shred some soft cheeses, grind coffee beans, liquefy fruits and vegetables, or crush ice.

With that in mind, you can start loking at some of the differences between models to determine which is best for you.

First, consider what type of appliance base would best suit your storage space. Food processors come with two types of bases: direct drive and belt drive.

Models with a direct drive system are usually taller because the blade or disc sits directly on top of the motor base. But they are more compact in terms of width (depth).

Belt drive models usually are shorter but wider at the base than direct drive types.

Then, consider the bowl that comes with the processor. Some are made with handles; others have openings at their centers for blades or discs, and some are larger than others.

When comparing models, keep in mind the quantity of food you most often will be processing and the importance of having a bowl with a handle.

The number of blades or discs used to perform various processing tasks also should be compared.

Some models provide a separate disc for each task while others incorporate several processing functions into one disc. Make a decision based on your own preference.

In addition, there are a number of other features that some models have and others don't that you may want to keep in mind when making a choice between processors. They include:

—A coverlock mechanism that prevents the appliance from operating — even when turned on — until the cover is tightly in place.

—A pulsing action setting that allows quick on-off action without requiring the regular on-off control to be switched manually. Pulsing action allows greater control in performing many processing functions.

—Automatic overload protection, a safety feature that relies on a thermostatic control to shut the motor off if it overheats during a long or heavy processing task.

—The extent or length of the warranty, which may only cover the base for some models or, for others, the base, blades and discs. Also note the length of time the warranty is in effect and the availability of service.

—The availability of accessories, which may include storage units for blades, rubber scrapers, funnels and accessory bowls. Extra slicing discs also are available for some models, as are citrus juice and vegetable juice extractor attachments, whipping attachments, mayonnaise-making attachments and plastic dough blades for large-quantity kneading.

The prices of food processors may be as varied as the features they include.

Many people wonder if they should buy the most-expansive model — or the least-expensive, most basic type.

Often the quality and type of materials used in the motor base affect the price. Those with heavier bases made of more metal parts will be more expensive than lighter-weight models that have more plastic parts.

Less-expensive models with lightweight bases tend to vibrate more during operation and "walk" or move while in use. Some lightweight models are made with suction-cup or rubber feet that help alleviate vibration problems.

The type of motor also affects the amount of noise that will be produced during use.

Before you make a final decision, listen to and watch the models you're interested in buying while they are in operation, to make sure the noise level is acceptable and the vibration or moving won't cause problems later.

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Pvt. Michael Buckingham is on recruiting duty here

Private Michael Buckingham of Granite City has an Army assignment right in his home town. For the next 30 days, he will work as a recruiter aide at the Army recruiting station at 3675 Nameoki Road in Granite City, where he enlisted.

Pvt. Buckingham will asist the Army recruiters in Granite City by linking them with the young people of the area. He will talk about his Army experiences with interested seniors at area high schools, including Granite City High School North, where he graduated in 1977, and where he was involved in golf and athletic training. Pvt. Buckingham is the son of Michael and Flo Buckingham of Granite City.

Pvt. Michael Buckingham

Why did Pvt. Buckingham join the Army? "I wanted to lern a challenging field," he explains, "and see new places."

The recruiter aide undertook one station unit training at Ft. Benning, Ga. He trained as a heavy antiarmor weapons crewman, and will serve at Ft. Hood, Tex., after he completes his Granite City assignment. Both the skill training and the assignment location were picked by Pvt. Buckingham and guaranteed to him in writing by the Army when he enlisted.

Pvt. Buckingham received a $3,000 cash bonus when he successfully completed training in his specialty. The Army pays cash bonuses of up to $4,000 to qualified enlistees entering a number of challenging fields.

It was at Ft. Benning that Pvt. Buckingham was approved for recruiter aide duty. The program is highly competitive, and selection reflects outstanding ability.

Pvt. Buckingham is on hand at the Granite City Army Recruiting Station to talk with interested young people about his experiences as a recent Army enlistee. He and the recruiters will be glad to discuss the skill training, educational aid, travel options, cash bonuses, and many other benefits the Army offers. They can be called at 876-5950.

Blood drive tomorrow

A public blood drive will be held Friday, Dec. 19, from 1 a.m. to 3:45 p.m. under Red Cross sponsorship.

Location will be St. Elizabeth Medical Center in the Wiesman Room, which is on the first floor (one floor above the ground floor).

There is a special need during the December holiday season for blood in this metropolitan area, officials report.

They are urging local residents and employees to contribute blood tomorrow.

BREAK-IN AT STORE

A burglar obtained entry to a meat locker at Cionko's Market, 2901 Madison Ave., at 6 a.m. Friday but apparently was frightened away before taking anything.

Contemporary holiday cantata here Sunday

The Tri-City Park Tabernacle Choir will give two performances of a contemporry Christmas cantata, "'Specially for Shepherds," Sunday evening at 7 and 9.

The Tabernacle choir will fully dramatize the Christms musical with a cast of 40, under the direction of Lonnie Manning and Ron Pennell.

Featured singing roles will be "Joseph and Mary" performed by Phil and Tracy Green; "Elizabeth" by Naomi Thomas; and "Gabriel" sung by Pastor Manning, former music teacher at the PTL Club's Heritage University.

In the music of "'Specially for Shepherds," Ralph Carmichael uses different styles to portray the story of the Advent of Jesus. The music moves from classical to jazz rock as the mood changes in the story.

The church is at Maryville Road and Clark Avenue.

FOUR TREATED FOR TRAFFIC INJURIES

Traffic accident victims treated Monday at St. Elizabeth Medical Center included Michael Schaus, 18, of 2200 E. 24th St., left eyebrow laceration and left knee abrasions, and James Spain, 18, of 1739 Edison Ave., left rib area bruises and chest abrasions.

David Koelker, 19, Edwardsville, was treated Sunday for shoulder, neck and right knee, ankle and foot injuries suffered when his motorcycle collided with a truck. Laura Perkins, 18, of 2120 Manley Ave. was treated Sunday for a neck injury. All four were released after treatment.

FOUR-WEEK HOLIDAY CLOSING AT EASTERN

The fall semester at Eastern Illinois University, Charleston, formally closes Sat., Dec. 20. Spring semester classes will open on Jan. 15.

Administrative offices will operate on reduced schedules during the period of Dec. 22 through Jan. 4. In order to conserve energy, temperatures will be reduced in all buildings from Dec. 24 through Jan. 4.

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Madison School Board 7:30 p.m. today, Dec. 18, at 1707 Fourth St.

Sanitary District 9 a.m. Friday, Dec.19, at 1801 Madison Ave.

Nameoki Town Board 7 p.m. Monday, Dec. 22, at 4250 Highway 162.

Venice School Board 7:30 p.m. Monday, Dec. 22, at 7th-Broadway.

Venice Town Board 7 p.m. Monday, Dec. 22, at 1502 Fifth St.

Lottery results

Results of the Illinois State Lottery Daily Game are:

Monday, Dec. 15: 288
Tuesday, Dec. 16: 776
Wednesday, Dec. 17: 668

RESIDENCE LOOTED

A burglar took two stereo turntables, two stereo receivers, assorted jewelry, two cameras and bronzeware from the home of Gayle Holsinger, 2003 Lindell Blvd., Friday afternoon. A door was forced open.

Cook named to UW labor post

George Cook, a 30-year retiree from Granite City Steel, has been appointed as the new AFL-CIO Community Services representative of the Tri-Cities Area United Way.

The announcement was made jointly by the Tri-City Trades and Labor Council and the United Way.

Cook replaces Larry Miller who is now the first Labor—Madison County CETA Program liaison officer.

He and his wife, Helen, live at 3111 Colgate Place and have five children. The couple also has one granddaughter.

"Through the channels of labor and social agencies," Cook said, "I will develop programs that meet the welfare, health and recreational needs of the community."

GEORGE COOK

City funds for trees

There should be a $1,000 bill on Granite City's next bill list which should make members of the Downtown Neighborhood Restoration Society very happy when that bill list is approved.

The Granite City Council Tuesday night agreed to put the $1,000 for DNRS on the bill list for next Tuesday's meeting to purchase trees which DNRS members will install in the restoration area, defined as between State and Adams streets and Niedringhaus Avenue to 24th Street.

Nine trees planted by society members were chopped down by vandals recently and aldermen were told the trees cost from $18 to $20 to replace, not counting the labor to plant them.

Alderman Sam Whitmer of the Second Ward said the city has carried $3,500 in the budget for several years for planting trees in the city and he believes some of that money should be used to help the restoration society's tree-planting program.

Whitmer showed a professional plan for trees which would provide various colors at different times of the year and would beautify the restoration area, and said he feels it would be "a good plan to expand throughout the city."

He also said of the DNRS members, "These are wonderful people who are taking enough energy and pride to replace the trees coming down around here.

"When we first budgeted (the $3,500 for trees), I contacted several garden clubs and they felt it was too big of a job to take on. These people (DNRS) have taken on with this and I think it's good.

Alderman Charles Douglas of the First Ward agreed and said the council should seek a similar group willing to plant trees in the East Granite area. "The trees might accept some of the pollution and at least shield people from it," Douglas contended.

Whitmer said he found only one thing wrong with the professionally-prepared plan for tree plantings in the restoration area. "There are no pin oaks, and those are my favorite trees," he concluded.

GREEN STICKERS

Green 1981 license plates stickers should be displayed on all passenger cars, motorcycles and mopeds by midnight Dec. 31, Secretary of State Alan J. Dixon has reminded Illinois motorists. Those who do not have a pre-printed renewal application may call the secretary's toll-free telephone number (800-252-8980).

Penny hike in school tax rate

Taxes—we "can't live with them, and can't live without them."

Granite City School District voters showed in a special election this fall that they don't like taxes, especially those they can avoid. Funding for building maintenance projects was rejected by a wide margin.

But basic school taxes will continue, and the Board of Education set them at $7,346,600 on Tuesday night. The levy extension is for the 1980 tax year, with collection in the spring or summer of 1981.

The overall school tax rate is expected to rise by slightly over a penny per $100 assessed valuation.

The new tax levy total, $7,346,600, compares to $6,292,554 extended for the 1979 tax year (collection in 1980).

The new levies and old tax extensions are: education $5,500,000 ($4,777,021 a year ago).

Operation, building fund and maintenance $817.000 ($702,503).

Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund $350,000 ($200,447).

Transportation $261,600 ($224.801).

Tort immunity $200,000 ($200,447).

Life Safety Code building improvements $109,000 ($93,667).

And the working cash fund, also $109,000 ($93,667).

The $6,292,554 extended a year ago was based on tax levies of $6,572,000. The 1979 equalized assessed valuation proved to be $187,334,170.

Tax rates based on each $100 of assessment are expected to total $3.37, up 1.1 cent from $3.359, assuming an assessment of $218 million (up 16.3 percent).

Three of the new rates are projected as matching those of last year—12 cents for transportation, five cents for life safety and five cents for working cash.

The other 1980 tax rate estimates are $2.5229 for education, down 2.71 cents from $2.55; 37.48 cents for operations, building and maintenance, down 0.02 cent from 37.5; 16.06 cents for municipal retirement, up 5.36 cents from 10.7; and 9.17 cents for tort immunity, down 1.53 cent from 10.7.

Curtis R. McDaniel, director of business affairs, noted that the new rate estimate of $3.37 is 41 cents below the $3.78 rate of two years ago. The 1978 rate included construction bonds and interest; since then, all bond debt has been retired.

Suburban Baptist nativity scene

A live nativity scene, featuring live animals, costumed people and music, will be on public display beginning tomorrow night at Suburban Baptist Church, Maryville Road and St. Clair Avenue.

The nativity scene will be presented nightly through Tuesday, Dec.23, from 7 to 9 p.m. A spokesman for the church is encouraging area residents to view the scene, designed to help everyone achieve a religious and festive mood during the Christmas season.

Gospel Mission party

A Christmas breakfast will be served early Sunday morning, Dec. 21 at 7:30 o'clock for the beginning of our Christmas program at the Gospel Mission, 2014 E. 20th St., which has been decorated for the season by the ladies, men and the high school class of the Sunday school.

A Christmas program will highlight the services Sunday evening, Dec. 21, at the Gospel Mission. (Parking in the rear). Every class of the Sunday school will be represented with each teacher presenting their class.

Special music by the Mission Choir and the congregation in singing of the familiar Christmas songs.

Dr. George A. Rosenthal, of the Edgemont Bible Church, Fairview Heights, will present the closing meditation.

To conclude the program, holiday treats will be given to all present, according to Mrs. Bethel J. Davis, mission superintendent. The public is invited to join the congregation at all services.

Tuesday morning, the usual Christmas baskets will be delivered by the men of the adult class. The baskets were filled by members of the Sunday school.

Special music at Dewey Ave. church here

The choirs of the Dewey Avenue United Methodist Church, 2136 Dewey Ave., will offer special programs this Sunday at 7 p.m..

The Cherub choir will present the musical pageant "In Bethlehem" and the adult choir will present the cantata "The Night the Angels Sang."

Mrs. Walter Harrison is the choir director and the Rev. Ray Kelly is the pastor.

The church will hold an 11 p.m. Holy Communion service on Wednesday, Dec. 24.

Artell Simmons services held

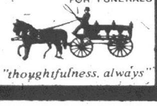
Funeral services for Artell "Shorty" Simmons, 66, of 1132 Reynolds St. Madison, were held Tuesday, Dec. 16, at Irwin Chapel. for Funerals.

Mr Simmons died at 10 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 13, in St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Burial was at St. Jonh's Cemetery.

A WWII veteran, he retired in 1969 from Granite City Steel.

He is survived by his wife Mrs. Delia (Smith) Simmons, three daughters, one stepson, two brothers and 13 grandchildren.



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Births

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Obituaries

Everett Carnahan

Everett C. Carnahan, 73, of 3850 John Glenn Drive, was pronounced dead at home at 12:01 a.m. Tuesday, Dec. 16, 1980, by Ed Marton, deputy coroner for Madison County.

Mr. Carnahan had been ill for one year and death was of natural causes.

Born in Elsinore, Mo. he had lived here 39 years and formerly lived in Corning, Ark.

He retired at Granite City Steel in 1972 where he worked as a carpenter for 31 years.

He is survived by his wife Mrs. Viola (Stephens) Carnahan; four daughters, Mrs. James (Iona) Farris, Mrs. Harold (Velma) Joyce, Mrs. Ernest (Evelyn) Burke, and Mrs. James (Sarah) Shemwell, all of Granite City; one son, Cecil "Bud" Carnahan of Granite City; 16 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. today, Dec. 18, at the Bob Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road., Rev. Thurnace York and Rev. M. W. Wilson officiating.

Burial will be at Lakeview Memorial Cemetery in Belleville.

Memorials may be sent to the Tri-City Park Tabernacle.

Celesta Longenecker

Mrs. Celesta (Pointer) Longenecker, 83, of 45 Aubuchon Drive, Fairview Heights, formerly of Granite City, died in Belleville Memorial Hospital at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 16, 1980.

She had been a patient at the hospital for the past two weeks.

Born in Carrollton, Ill., she lived most of her life here having moved to Fairview Heights about one year ago.

She was a member of the Greater Beneficial Union (GBU) and of the protestant faith.

Her husband Joseph Longenecker died in 1978.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Gerard (Maxine) Tonies of Fairview Heights; one sister, Mrs. Charles (Edith) Wells of Yuma, Ariz.; six grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Friday, Dec. 19 at the Central Christian Church, 2020 Johnson Road.

Visitation is after 3 p.m. today, Dec. 18, at Mercer Mortuary, 1416 Niedringhaus Ave.

Burial will be at Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsville Township.

Memorials may be given to Central Christian Church.

Dorothy Mullen

Mrs. Dorothy F. (Clonts) Mullen, 60, of 2711 Marshall Ave., died at 9:20 a.m. Monday, Dec. 15, 1980, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, where she had been a patient for two weeks with cancer. She had been ill since July.

Mrs. Mullen was a lifelong resident of Granite City and was a member of Calvary Baptist Church.

Surviving are her husband, Harrison Mullen; two sons, Harrison Eugene Mullen and John Edward Mullen, both of Granite City; five daughters, Mrs. Ina Mefford, Mrs. Linda Apponyi and Mrs. Robert (Ann) Knobeloch, all of Granite City, Mrs. William (Clara May) Wake III of Springfield, Ill., and Mrs. Eula Daly of Las Vegas, Nev.; a brother, Raymond Clonts of Wabash, Ind.; a sister, Mrs. Wilma Hicks of Granite City; her mother, Mrs. Irene Clonts of Granite City, and 22 grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 17, at Irwin Chapel for Funerals, 2801 Madison Ave., the Rev. Chester Parker officiating.

Burial was at Sunset Hill Cemetery, Edwardsvill Township.

Wayne Pitchford

Funeral services were held Friday, Dec. 12, 1980, in Fort Myers, Fla. for D. Wayne Pitchford, 75, formerly of Granite City.

Mr. Pitchford died on Wednesday, Dec. 10, in a Fort Myers hospital where he had been a heart patient for a week.

Born in Waggoner, Ill., he lived here from 1918 until 1960 when he moved to Florida.

He was a carpenter and a member of Local 633 here. He built and formerly operated the Chain of Rocks Motel.

He was preceded in death by his wife Mrs. Catherine (Scott) Pitchford, formerly of Madison.

He is survived by one son, Wayne Pitchford of Fort Myers, Fla.; one daughter, Mrs. Jon (Johanna) Nelson of Brainbridge, Ga.; one brother, Verl Pitchford of Granite City; two sisters, Mrs. Gladys M. Reeves of Joplin, Mo. and Mrs. Louise Courtney of St. Louis; and four grandchildren.

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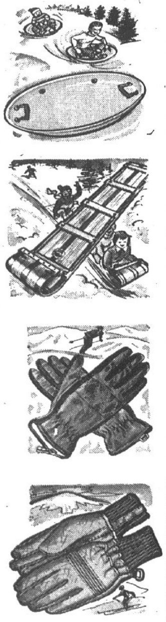

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districts are formed to provide the local matching money.

Legislators from areas which have matched state funds from the beginning forced the new arrangement through the last session of the legislature, putting the area under the gun.

In other action Wednesday, the county board:

---Voted to advertise for purchase or lease of 43 squad cars for the sheriff's department and 50 new mattresses for the county jail;

---Reappointed county department heads, but delayed setting their salaries pending the outcome of county board negotiations with the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees.

---Voted to re-advertise for bids for employee health insurance;

---Granted the county Board of Review and additional 20 days in session due to numerous complaints and reassessments in several townships

Ed Harris, county emergency services director, was given an additional post—that of parks and recreation director. Hagnauer said combining the two jobs will save the county approximately $14,000 a year.

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hinting that another business may be interested in using it.

The mayor also said, "We are fortunate that Sidener is not moving out of the city and is expanding in Granite City. That property still has value to another tenant. I'm not sure he is intending to close it down."

C.D. Peters Construction Co. built the new access roadway on a low bid of $23,445, including the road, fencing and gates. Providing the new access for Sidener was deemed necessary by the council to keep Sidener from suing the city for lack of access to his business—a suit which could have halted construction of the overpass.

The new roadway runs west of the Granite City School District's warehouses. The property had been owned by the school district, but was turned over to the city under an agreement in which the city agreed to pay for additional trash pickups at some schools.

The city has issued industrial revenue bonds for numerous new businesses and expansion projects. Among the projects currently underway using revenue bonds are the expansion of Air Products & Chemicals, and construction of the Pre-Coat Metals plant. Recent revenue bonds have helped Feralloy and Michigan Metals establish plants here and have assisted St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Granite City Steel and other businesses in expansion projects.

County threatens suit against Granite City

By JUDY TAPLIN

The Madison County board was warned Wednesday that its new three-township sewer project may be in default soon if action is not taken to force Granite City to treat the sewage.

The board, heeding this warning, voted to authorize enforcement of a contract signed by the county and Granite City in 1972. Granite City officials contend the contract has expired.

Marshall "Zeke" Smith, the new assistant state's attorney handling county board matters, said he is insisting that the county not file suit against Granite City until one last-ditch attempt has been made to settle the dispute.

He said he would try to schedule a meeting of other sides this weekend. The situation "looks impossible," Smith said. "But there are a couple of avenues we ought to explore before filing the suit."

The county began its sewer project—involving Nameoki, Venice and Chouteau townships—in the early 1970s. The 1972 contract signed with Granite City for sewage treatment said county residents in Special Service Area 1 would pay a specified amount, with provisions for change as time went on.

Wednesday, Louis Whitsell, of Nameoki Township, a member of the county's special sewer committee, said Granite City later passed an ordinance which said all households outside the city limits would pay a surcharge of $10 a quarter more than city residents for sewage treatment.

Granite City also "tacked on other things," Whitsell contended. These included an inventory tax and a five-year debt reduction period, rather than the 13-year period earlier agreed to.

The result, Whitsell said, is that residents of Special Service Area 1 would be paying $66 a quarter rather than the $30 originally anticipated.

He said 70 percent of the sewer project is ready to operate and that the entire system will be completed soon. Many areas have been ready for several months, he said.

Because the system isn't operating, the county is receiving no revenue. "We're running the sewer project on a deficit budget now," Whitsell said, warning that the county will probably have to default if action isn't taken soon.

He asked that the county find some way to begin operation of the sewer system immediately while the dispute is being settled.

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Jury finds man innocent of rape

A jury in Madison County Circuit Court Tuesday found Robert Dean Mathias, 26, of the 1700 block of Spruce Street, innocent of rape and two counts of deviate sexual assault.

Mathias and Terry Gargac, 30, of the 2700 block of Nameoki Road, were accused of abducting two 18-year-old Pennsylvania women from the campus of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville Aug. 17, after a Mississippi River Festival concert by the rock group the Grateful Dead.

The women alleged they were raped in Mathias' automobile in Mitchell and then were taken to the Gargac's apartment, where they were raped again.

During testimony at Mathias' trial, Assistant Public Defender Michael Glenn brought out that the women had been hitchhiking across the country and through Canada, following the Grateful Dead. One of the victims also testified that they accepted a ride after the concert at SIUE.

The jury deliberated about three hours Tuesday before returning the verdict before Associate Judge John W. Day in Edwardsville.

Madison County State's Attorney Don Weber is quoted as saying he still intends to prosecute Gargac, despite the innocent verdict on Mathias.

STATE BOUNDARY RULING BY FAHNER

Illinois Attorney General Tyrone C. Fahner has advised in a formal legal opinion that the boundary between Illinois and Kentucky is the low water mark on the northwest side of the Ohio River as it existed in 1992. The opinion resolves the question of whether the boundary between the two states is the 1792 level or the present day low water mark.

Fahner's finding that the actual boundary is now somewhere within the channel of the river means that the Illinois Department of Conservation can enforce its regulations on the Ohio River governing such activity as licensing fishermen and registering watercraft using Illinois waters.

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Expand gifted classes to jr. high students

Expansion of the gifted student program to seventh and eighth graders in Granite City was authorized Tuesday night. The School Board approved the concept, and the specific structure will be developed during the spring semester.

Mrs. Merna Musterman, gifted program coordinator, said, "To meet the special needs of gifted students in our three junior high schools, a committee composed of curriculum coordinator Warren Collins, principals and representatives from the junior and senior high schools, Raymond Grinter, director of the State Area Service Center for Gifted and Telented Youth, and myself met a number of times.

"The plan is to serve the top five percent of our students who are gifted in specific academic areas.

"Our objective is to offer a differentiated, meaningful educational program in the least disruptive and most cost-efficient way.

"Present philosophy of gifted education, as supported by valid research, contends that for students of high ability to realize their potential, they must necessarily be methodically taught to use their capabilities in higher-level thought processes.

"This suggests that curriculum must be deliberately planned and available to those who are so abled.

"Ability grouping is practical and is already partially accomplished by our existing tracking system. Since our target group is but five percent of the total district population, class size would be insufficient for exclusive grouping of these identified gifted students.

"It is believed these students should be enrolled in the same section of language arts and-or mathematics where possible. This would allow interaction with one another and facilitate the teachers planning more appropriate levels of instruction.

"In addition to these identified students being seved regularly in math and language arts, a daily half-hour elective will be offered, entitled 'Idea Lab.' This additional course will be designed for gifted students. It will be academic in nature, and its continuity will span a two-year period (7th and 8th grades).

"One instructor each semester at every school will be assigned a full class period, with the time being evenly split between the two grade levels.

"The content of the course will be of an enrichment nature in a variety of disciplines, with primary concentration on the processes of critical thinking and problem solving skills.

"While prudent scheduling is likely to accommodate the availability of a teacher for this one period, it is quite possible that a 'sixth hour assignment' may be necessary at times. In any case, additional employees will not be necessary.

"The essence of success depends on the selection of the specific teachers These must necessarily be highly competent and be particularly interested in such a commitment that implies an opportunity and obligation to be involved in ongoing in-service training. Such an assignment will be challenging, demanding and highly rewarding," she concluded.

Effective date of the program will be September 1981.

For the first time, junior high class scheduling is being computerized. Starting in early January, counselors will meet with current sixth graders to help outline their fall classes. The "idea lab" will be among the electives discussed at that time.

Long Lake fire group has family Christmas party

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Long Lake Volunteer Fire Department, 4113 Pontoon Road, held its annual family Christmas party at the fire hall on Sunday.

Fireman's families enjoyed an evening buffet supper, and Santa Claus visited and presented each child with a gift and candy-filled cane. Carols were sung.

Attending were, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ringering, Mrs. S. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Danny Kreher, Terry and Penny Kreher, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Atkinson, Kurt and Wendy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kennerly and Rachel, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kennerly, Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson, Gwen and Brian, Mr. and Mrs. Lennie Schaeffer and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bowles, Ginger, Dale Jr., Jeanie, Matthew and Teri, Mr. and Mrs. John Karlechik.

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Mr. and Mrs. Glen Ashoff, Derek and Chad, Skip Parmley, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Finazzo and children, Mrs. Isabel Kreher, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Kreher and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wall and children.

Credit cards computerized

Amoco Oil Company's new Signature Verified Billing (SVB) system for credit-card purchases has been installed in nearly all of the more than 21,000 Amoco stations nationwide.

The SVB system is the first major change in Amoco's credit-card imprinting and billing since the mid-1960s, when Amoco joined in developing the money-amount imprinters used until SVB was introduced. The oil firm spent eight years developing and introducing SVB.

The new system eliminates the copies of each credit-card transaction that previously were enclosed with each month's bill.

Now, Amoco credit-card customers receive a statement that electronically reproduces in chronological order the purchases, amount owed, the name and location of the service station, an imprint of the customer's credit card, and the signature of the purchaser.

"Never before has a credit card biling system electronically reproduced so much information for the customer. The signature is especially important because our customers, specifically those with many users of one credit card number, wanted to be able to identify the purchaser," said Bill Bauer, coordinator. Amoco is one of the nation's largest issuers of credit cards with about 6.9 million accounts.

Amoco dealers, who are independent businessmen, say it has reduced by about 30 percent the time spent on credit transaction paperwork.

"With the old system, each dealer sent a copy of each sale to a center and numerous manual operations were performed to send out each customer's bill. With SVB, the only manual operation is taking a dealer's record of transactions and placing it in an optical scanning unit where the sales information, including the customer's signature, is converted into digitized form so it can be stored in a computer memory bank," Bauer said.

"When it is time to issue monthly bills, the computer assembles each customer's account in order and the bills are printed with a new ink-jet printing system on a continuous sheet at a rate of 250 feet a minute.

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CONDENSER STOLEN

A thief took the condenser from a central air-conditioning unit at the rear of 1839 Delmar Ave. Friday night.

Special course at BAC on death and dying

A two-hour course (32 contact hours) is offered by Belleville Area College from Jan. 13, to May 12, 1981, inclusive. The course is directed toward persons, professional or non-professional, who wish to better understand death and dying in order to assist and support others and to accept the reality of their own death.

The course is approved by Illinois Nursing Association, National Federation of LPN's and the Department of Public Health of Illinois. It will be taught at BAC Center - Programs and Services for Older Persons, 201 North Church St. - Tuesday nights from 7 to 9 p.m., beginning Jan. 13.

Cost is $32. Registration will be at 6 p.m., Tuesday, Jan. 13, at 201 North Church St. All checks must be written to Belleville Area College. If institutions pay the tuition, checks must be received the first night of class. Anyone 60 years of age or over has reduced tuition, $4 for the course.

For further information Quad-Cityans may call the Instructor, Sr. Mary Simpson, M.Ed., - 234-4410. Since only 30 persons will be accepted in the class, interested persons are asked to call in advance.

Missionary circles learn about Africa

Slides and a talk about the life of people in Kenya, East Africa, were shown Friday to over 100 persons of the Ella Mae and Evening Missionary Cirles of the Mount Zion Baptist Church.

The speaker was Mrs. Judy King, a missionary from Africa on furlough.

Dinner was served and the tables were decorated in keeping with the Christmas season.

Rev. Dale Price said grace.

Mrs. Carolyn LeMaster lead the group in the singing of "I'm so happy I'm a Part of the Family of God" and the muppet ministry of the church presented a skit.

Mrs. Anita Harley was mistress-of-ceremonies.

A gift exchange was held and secret sisters revealed.

Special guest for the evening were the Rev. and Mrs. Truman Collins, of Louisville, Ky., the former pastor and his wife of Mount Zion Church.

Calvary Church cantata Sunday

The choir of Calvary Baptist Church, 3000 Washington Ave., will present a cantata during the evening service at 7:30 Sunday, Dec. 21.

This year's program will be, "Noel, Jesus is Born," and it will be under the direction of Steve Harter, music director.

The public is being invited to attend the candlelight service. A nursery will be provided, according to Chester Parker, pastor.

Public Masonic installation

A public installation of officers of Masonic Lodge 877 will be held beginning at 7:30 p.m. Saturday in the Masonic Temple, 20th Street and Cleveland Boulevard.

Elected officers to be installed are; Worshipful Master Thomas Worthen, Senior Warden Bill Sternberg, Junior Warden Ray Penn, Treasurer Glen Hollis and Secretary Vernon Clutts.

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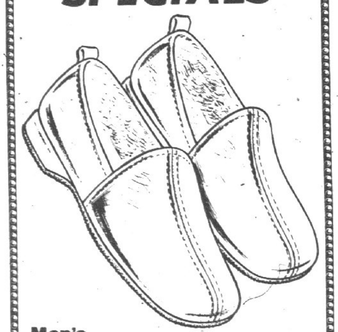

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Refund on school milk

By BILL WINTER
of the Press-Record

After a long discussion Tuesday night, the Granite City Board of Education voted 6-1 to accept a $433 reimbursement from Reeb's Dairy, the school district's 1980-81 milk supplier.

While denying that student milk cartons contained less than eight ounces, the vendor offered to compensate the district for $175 spent in testing milk quantities and for $258 described by School Supt. B. J. Davis as offsetting the average milk shortage detected in a series of four tests this fall.

Testing by the Illinois Department of Agriculture on Dec. 10 showed Reeb's white milk averaging 8.04 ounces and its chocolate milk averaging 8.13 ounces, in both instances more than the eight ounces necessary to meet bid specifications.

Davis said he will warn the supplier that periodic state testing will continue.

Board Member David Partney, a frequent critic of the milk vendor, voted against the reimbursement plan after, earlier Tuesday evening, voicing a motion that the school district halt all milk purchases from Reeb's and seek new bids. That motion died for lack of a second.

Partney said he believes a case could be made for a larger reimbursement than that agreed upon.

While not identifying any specific firms, a school administrator told the board Tuesday night that a former local area supplier has been warned about allegedly insufficient milk quantities elsewhere.

Because of the potentially severe penalties against dairies, once they are warned they usually take extraordinary steps to assure compliance, a discussion brought out.

Supt. Davis related that he had "inquired of the Illinois Department of Agriculture as to what steps they take when they find a dairy short in its content. They replied that they give the dairy 30 days' notice in which to correct the deficiency. Should it not be corrected, then they place the dairy on a probationary status. A third incident would lead to further and more drastic actions."

The board agreed with his proposal to continue utilizing the state to make random tests of milk. When requested by a school district, the agriculture staff will respond within several days to conduct unannounced sampling, Davis noted.

Partney said he would have preferred reimbursements of $684 for September and $615 for October. He was critical of the supplying of milk shake mix at a higher price initially than the price quoted in a later competitive bid for the mix.

He later mentioned a combined figure of $4,201.

When Partney said there had been an apparent feedback to Reeb's of test information, Supt. Davis interrupted him to say there had been no contacts other than the proper contacts outlined in a detailed report prepared by the administrative staff.

A discussion then indicated that newspaper articles about school milk were an obvious indication to dairies to begin tightening up their production control procedures, with no "tip-off" needed.

Partney emphasized to fellow board members, "I don't feel we should do any more business with them."

As the board studied test data, it was brought out that each ounce of milk contains eight fluid drams.

School Attorney William Schooley said there are some conceivable situations in which a school district could cancel a major supply contract. But the limited extent of any problem verified by the state raises a question of how a judge or jury would react, he added.

Board members said a typical supplier might seek reimbursement for the volume of business withdrawn from it.

Partney said he was aware that air in milk lines could complicate the task of providing an exact quantity in each carton, but commented that he still felt a serious problem had been pinpointed by his study of school milk.

Board Member Robert Maxwell voiced fear that federal lunch reimbursements might be jeopardized.

When the motion to cancel the present contract failed to obtain a second, Board Member George Moore said the reimbursement proposal should be considered. Supt. Davis said he knew of no other remedy but was receptive to suggestions.

Board Member Monroe Worthen favored warning the milk vendor of future testing, but said excessive pressure on suppliers could lead to fewer bids, ultimately raising school costs through lack of competition. He urged "checks and balances" but not "cutting off our nose to spite our face."

Supt. Davis said a quality control program could be set up if the associated costs were determined to be justified.

Partney said he is concerned that there may be inadequate comparisons of quality or size when the school district evaluates price bids, such as for tomatoes or other canned food items. He suggested specifying three or four specific brands.

Davis said extensive sampling and tasting takes place when bids are being compared.

Worthen said that ruling out certain brands of food could lead to justified complaints by businesses that "the school people are cutting us out of a chance to bid."

Partney said bid comparisons on tomato paste could be deceptive if one proposal involved thick paste and another offer was for watery paste.

"You're ignoring what has happened in the schools," Worthen contended in defending the comprehensive nature of product testing developed by the Granite City district over a period of years.

"My understanding is that supplies are tested, and that recommendations on vendors take into account the best, lowest, responsible bids," Worthen emphasized. "Both quality and price are considered."

Supt. Davis cited Tuesday night's purchase of French fried potatoes and said they had been checked for taste, appearance and grease.

He added that differing grades of food take into account, for example, "long beans, medium beans and little bitty beans." He said bidding specifications are being improved so that it will be easier for administrators and board members to compare unit costs.

Maxwell said costly testing should be avoided but that, when a potential problem comes to light, it should be pursued and resolved.

The attorney reviewed legal aspects of bidding and contracts, and said the board had an obligation to take some type of positive and prompt action on the question of school milk.

Davis called attention to the proposed series of actions he had spelled out in the board meeting agenda. "We'll put them on notice," he pledged.

Further discussion brought out that automatic allocation of milk shake mix purchases to milk vendors dated back to 1970 or earlier, and originally was linked to gradual payment by the school system for related mechanical equipment.

Davis said there is no way of determining how shake mix prices during past years might have changed if there had been specific bidding on the mix.

Maxwell urged that, in accepting the milk test reimbursement, the district avoid any waiver of its rights.

Board Member George Moore said that state tests so far provide an insufficient basis to cancel the milk contract. If future problems are verified, a stronger basis would be provided, he related.

Worthen cautioned against the district gaining an image for awarding contracts and then "hanging the suppliers out to dry."

Board Member Thomas Miofsky said he was in general agreement with Worthen's advice, adding that the school system is fully justified in holding all suppliers accountable to bidding specifications.

A written report by Supt. Davis to the board Tuesday night related that "at the last meeting, the board requested the administration to pull samples of our milk from Reeb's Dairy and from our former supplier, Prairie Farms, and have the samples analyzed for fluid content.

"We pulled 64 cartons of milk, equaling one percent of our daily use, from each of the two sources. Based on that test, we found the average of white milk from Prairie Farms was 8.002 ounces and the chocolate was 8.022 ounces.

"Samples pulled for milk being delivered to Granite City schools averaged out to be 7.64 ounces for chocolate and 7.63 for white.

"Malt samples from each dairy met the fluid requirements," the superintendent related.

"I discussed these results with our attorney and asked what course of action we should follow. He recommended we have two additional testings made of milk being delivered to our schools. That was done Dec. 4 and Dec. 9.

"In the meantime, I had contacted the Illinois Department of Agriculture in Springfield and requested that they run tests on milk being delivered to the school district. They came down on Dec. 10 and ran tests on samples of 10 white and 10 chocolate, which they indicated were their normal sampling.

"They found no cartons containing less than eight ounces, and 15 cartons containing in excess of eight ounces.

"They also informed me that the type of problems we are experiencing have been showing up in other parts of the state. They specificially mentioned problems at Quincy and Carlinville."

Davis continued, "I asked them how volume of milk is determined at dairies during the time of packaging. They informed me it was done on a timing method, and when cartons show up with less than eight ounces in a half-pint, it is normally due to air getting into the milk lines. The air takes up space and, when the milk is placed in the carton, the timing device cuts it off whether milk or air enters the carton.

"I further inquired of the Ill. Agriculture Department as to what steps they take when they find a dairy short in its content. They replied that they give 30 days' notice in which to correct the deficiency.

"Should it not be corrected, then they place the dairy on a probationary status. A third incident would lead to further and more drastic actions.

"The results are now available relative to the tests we secured on the volume of milk in half-pint cartons served in the various school cafeterias.

"Following are the averages of the three tests conducted by Scientific Associates, Inc., St. Louis, and the Ill. Department of Agriculture.

"Nov. 19; Test 1. Averages per carton, 7.63 ounces white and 7.64 chocolate.

"Nov. 26; Test 2. 7.97 white and 7.93 chocolate.

"Dec. 2; Test 3. 7.92 white and 8.19 chocolate.

"Dec. 10; Ill. Department of Agriculture. 8.04 white and 8.13 chocolate.

"Total averages, 7.89 (-.11 ounce) white milk and 7.97 (-.03 ounce) chocolate milk.

"Based on this information, the administration computed the average loss per carton against the cost of our milk bid and obtained the following results, based on the school year through November:

"Total white half-pints, 91,995, times .11 ounce equals 10,119.45 ounces. Divided by eight ounces, 1,264.93 half-pints. Times the bid price of 11.25 cents, $142.30 loss based on the average carton per tests.

"Total chocolate half-pints, 245,905, times .03 ounce equals 7,377.15 ounces. Divided by eight, 922.14 half-pints. Times the bid price of 12.65 cents, $116.65 loss.

"The $142.30 and $116.25 total $258,95, and the cost to the district of running the tests was $175. If this is added to the other costs, the loss becomes $433.95. This equates out to 0.12 cent ($0.0012) per carton served.

"If the loss is figured on loss against purchased amount, it represents a small percentage—922.14 half-pints of chocolate and 1,264.93 of white milk, a total of 2,187.07 half-pints based on average loss.

"Compared to the 337,900 half-pints purchased, the 2,187.07 represent .64 of 1 percent.

"As instructed by the board, we also had pre-mix malt solutions tested. The average for that which was tested was 64.35 ounces for chocolate and 64.15 for vanilla.

"Since these were above the required 64 ounces, we ran no more tests on the malt.

"With the figures received, I contacted Reeb's Dairy to inquire if they would compensate the school district $433.95 for the loss and assure the district that the averages of milk delivered will equal at least eight ounces.

"I have since received a call from Reeb's indicating they officially recognize the test conducted by the Ill. Department of Agriculture and, therefore, believe there were no shortages verified; however, in keeping with good will, they would remit a check to the district for $433.95 and assure the district that the quantity of milk delivered will meet specifications.

"I informed Reeb's that I would report this to the board with the understanding that, if it were acceptable, we would have some periodic tests performed in the future.

"The Ill. Department of Agriculture has indicated a willingness to check the product upon proper notification by the district," the report by Supt. Davis concluded.

GC revenue sharing

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contact city officials to discuss the issue in the near future.

Mayor Paul Schuler told the council he is aware that a handicapped individual, restricted to a wheelchair, had filed a complaint with the revenue sharing office and said that City Attorney John Papa has been working on the issue.

Schuler said he did not wish to have a public discussion of the issue on the council floor and asked aldermen who have questions about the matter to contact Papa personally for more details.

Alderman Lloyd Bailey said he has been aware for some time that many handicapped persons are unable to attend city council meetings and has been attempting to find a solution.

Bailey said that Nelson Hagnauer, supervisor of Granite City Township, has agreed to let the city use the one-floor township center at 2060 Delmar Ave., for council meetings.

Mayor Schuler responded, "There is no reason we can't use it for one meeting a month or so. I think some important meetings, say once a month, (in the township building) would be in order."

Last month, several wheelchair-bound city residents attended the city council meeting and picketed with signs in front of the city hall before the meeting, protesting that they were excluded from attending.

At that time, the council discussed holding one meeting a month in the township building, but no official action was taken and subsequent meetings have all been in the city hall.

Trade zone

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manager of Foreign Trade Zone 31.

"We are pleased with the Foreign Trade Zone Board's approval of this site," Nazetta said.

"It will allow business and industry in the St. Louis metropolitan area to take advantage now of the additional benefits provided by using a foreign trade zone.

"Companies involved in internaional trade may find that using the trade zone to store, inspect, light manufacture, exhibit and distribute their products can result in substantial cash flow, insurance and tax savings.

"We welcome this opportunity to work with this region's buisiness and industry in exploring their use of the foreign trade zone.

"We look forward to resuming conversations with prospective users who have, in the past, expressed interest in using the xone, "Nazetta concluded.

A major new trade building has been designed for the FTZ tract at the Port, but financing plans for the structure remain incomplete.

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Dec. 25 - All offices closed.

Dec. 26 - Main office - 9-12; Nameoki Station - 10-3 lockbox only; Mitchell Branch - 10-3 lockbox only.

Dec. 31 - Main office - 9-12; Nameoki Station - closed; Mitchell Branch - closed.

Jan. 1 - All offices closed.

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Family services and family policy

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By CATHERINE S. CHILMAN

Although there is widespread agreement that many American families are in trouble, there is little consensus about what should be done to help them.

Those who argue against programs for families often fear an invasion of family privacy.

But it is possible and important to design policies that make help available to families, if they wish to use that help, without necessarily intruding in their private lives.

Such measures are quite different from programs that seek to control the behavior of families.

The latter approach, often popularly misnamed family policy, would certainly be inappropriate and probably unworkable in American society, except for flagrantly dangerous family behaviors, such as child or spouse abuse.

The well-being of families can best be advanced through a variety of means including:

— The efforts of families themselves.

— Educational and counseling programs made available to family members to help them deal more effectively with one another.

— Service programs such as those that treat physical or mental illness and those that provide child care for employed parents.

— Income maintenance and tax relief programs that support the economic security of families.

— Employment policies that include provisions for part-time work, flexitime, maternity and paternity leave, affirmative action to reduce sexism and racism, job training, and provisions of public jobs when the private sector cannot meet employment needs of the populace.

— Housing and community planning that assures adequate shelter and healthful neighborhoods for all families regardless of race or income.

— Public education that provides opportunity for lifelong learning and development for all people from early childhood through old age.

SUPPORTIVE POLICIES.

In general, then, it is more useful to think of policies that provide a variety of supports for family well-being rather than specific family policies, per se.

But why should family supportive policies be so numerous and wide ranging?

The answer is found in the nature of families as small groups interacting with a larger society.

The well-being of families is a product of two major factors: (a) those in the outside world such as employment, income, prices, energy supplies, housing, transportation, health services, and schools; and (b) factors within the family, such as its size, structure, stage of development, individual characteristics of family members, and their styles of interacting.

The inner world of the family is a small, interpersonal system that interacts with the larger bureaucratic systems.

What happens to part of the family — for instance, a severe conflict between husband and wife — will not only have reverberations throughout the family system, but it will probably also affect the behavior of each family member in transactions with the larger world of work, school, and community.

Similarly, actions of the larger environmental system make strong impact on families and frequently upset the well-being of the total family group.

These larger systems, such as the organizations for which parents work, tend to be oblivious of the needs of the family as an interpersonal system.

For example, employers often require that employees work overtime, regardless of the effects on family obligations and relationships.

NEGATIVE FORCES.

Families with few social and economic resources of their own are particularly vulnerable to the negative impact of forces in the outer environment.

These forces can include government policies which are meant to help families but which, owing to citizen myopia, are often too meager and restrictive.

For example, federal policy requires that single mothers of young children who receive public assistance seek employment when their children reach the age of six.

However, no provisions are made to care for these children when they are not in school.

Typically, their mother's wages are too low to pay for high quality day care. The cost of public community neglect of these children may well be enormous.

What does this mean for public policy? Should low-income, single mothers of children between the ages of, say, six to twelve be given public assistance and not be required to seek employment?

Should public funds be allocated for all-day school programs and for child care during school vacations?

Should further efforts be made to force the fathers of these children to support them? (Such efforts are often expensive and not very successful.)

Should legislation be passed that requires higher wages for single mothers?

Should matters be left as they are, with the assumption that children over the age of six can care for themselves while their mothers are working?

As this example shows, policy problems regarding the family are enormously complex and potentially costly.

Isn't it, then, too expensive and difficult to devise the large cluster of programs that seems to be needed?

The task is not so impossible as it may appear.

Pieces of many of the recommended programs are already in place: the Social Security system, including Medicaid and Medicre; partial programs of family life education and counseling that are privately and publicly supported in many communities; some (but not enough) government-subsidized housing for low-income families; public education programs (though somewhat limited) from preschool through state university systems, and so on.

In brief, we have come a long way in the past forty years in providing family assistance programs.

We have developed human services addressed to the internal needs of families. And we have brought some needed changes in larger environmental systems that strongly affect family functioning. But we still have quite a distance to go.

So-called family impact analysis, which would assess the effects of federal legislation on families, is one needed approach.

For example, our federal income tax tends to penalize married couples when both partners work — thus discouraging marriage.

Such analysis should be part of a larger strategy that not only reacts to government proposals, but is also pro-active, that is, analyzes families' needs and plans to meet those needs.

PRIVATE AND PUBLIC RESPONSIBILITIES.

Families, however, must also help themselves.

The culture of the early 1980s include the rediscovery of the importance and "relevance" of families, after the individualism and "personal liberation" of the 1970s.

Along with this rediscovery must go an awareness that families rest on a foundation of mutual responsibility, of giving as well as getting, of fostering the growth of others as well as of the self.

Attitudes and values of these kinds cannot be forced upon families by public policies.

Nor can we demand that people be denied a license for marriage or, as some would wish it, for parenthood unless they have the "correct" knowledge and beliefs.

We cannot effectively regulate the behavior of the huge majority of family members, because family functioning is enormously complex — and because families in a free society have basic rights to personal privacy and self determination.

But just as family members have responsibilities to themselves and each other, so does the larger society have responsibilities toward its families.

These responsibilities are numerous and complex, especially in a large heterogeneous society such as the United States — a society whose citizens tend to be individualistic rather than family-oriented.

Citizens are suspicious of any kind of government program — especially if the program is federal — resistant to paying taxes to support public services, and inclined to look for simple, single solutions to intricate, multifaceted human problems.

Further development and support of public programs to aid families depends on the enlightened and generous will of the electorate.

It is far from clear in these days of confusion and disenchantment that this kind of public will is present.

If it is not, it seems likely that many of the nation's families — especially those low-income families that bear the double burdens of poverty and racism — will suffer further disorganization, conflict, and despair.

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Next: Sociologist Jessie Bernard looks at the future of the family.

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Her many publications include "Crisis in Child Mental Health: The Challenge for the 1970s," "The Causes and Consequences of Adolescent Child-bearing," and "Adolescent Sexuality in a Changing American Society."

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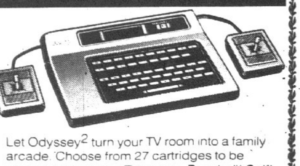

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"And the angel said unto her, Fear not, Mary: for thou hast found favor with God.

"And, behold, thou shalt conceive in thy womb, and bring forth a son, and shalt call his name JESUS.

"He shall be great, and shall be called the Son of the Highest: and the Lord God shall give unto him the throne of his father David." Amen.

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Psychiatrist gives tips on holiday gifts for children

"What to buy the kids for Christmas?" can become a frantic question as the shopping days tick away.

"Parents should choose gifts that make children feel good about themselves," advises psychiatrist Elva Poznanski, M.D., who heads the Youth Affective Disorders Clinic at the University of Illinois at the Medical Center, Chicago.

"It isn't wise to give a gift that underscores a child's weak points," says Poznanski. "For example, if your child is a poor speller, don't give a dictionary."

Parents may assume that their children will not have a good holiday unless they get everything on their gift lists, but buying each item they have requested may be next to impossible with today's inflated prices.

"Don't worry," advises Poznanski. "Despite the commercialization of the holidays, gifts are not central to the Christmas spirit, and children are not likely to be seriously disappointed if parents do not buy them everything they want.

"Most kids have a Christms 'wish list' that is utterly out of line with reality," says Poznanski. "But they don't usually expect to receive everything they ask for.

"Kids understand that things cost more these days and that the family has to watch its spending. That kind of everyday reality is good for children to know.

"I have yet to see a kid depressed because he or she did not receive a particular gift," adds Poznanski, who specializes in the study of depression in children. "But I have seen holiday depression because of family problems.

"Kids can become 'blue' during the holidays for the same reasons adults do.

"Christmas is traditionally a family time. Department store display windows and television all emphasize family sharing. Many families travel long distances to be together for the holidays.

"It's a season when children, adolescents and adults are more likely to feel the discrepancy between their own family relationships and what they have been led to believe is the ideal.

"Affectionate relationships make up the holiday spirit, and material gifts are no substitute for them.

"Gifts can be emotionally important to children under certain family circumstances, such as divorce.

"Forty percent of American families are affected by divorce," she says. "I find it's often important for parents who don't live with their children to remember them with a gift, because if they don't, it can symbolize the parent forgetting the child."

She also cautions that in divorced families the parent who doesn't have custody may have a higher income and be able to send expensive gifts.

The child, she explains, is not likely to be sensitive to the difference in the "worth" of his parent's gifts, but the other parent often is.

"If divorced parents could just talk over gift-giving beforehand, especially major purchases, it would save a lot of hurt feelings," she concludes.

WORD OF LIFE CHOIR which will present a Christmas contada on Sunday. Standing at the rear is Betty Gay, director. In the back row, standing, are Brenda York, Ginny Biggs, Lila Simmons, Tammy Ponce, Sheila Roseman, Virginia Parker, Ilene Britt, Dorothy Donohue and Arlene Votoupal. In the middle row, seated, are Danny Huffman, Dick Roseman, Ron Stegelmeyer, Richard Duncan, Gary York and Bill Bearley. In the front row, seated, are Jean Keeling, Neva Lucas, Rickie Huffman, Barbara Parks, Paula Lewis, Linda Malzynski and Sheila Bearley.

Christmas program by choir at church

On Sunday, Dec. 21, the Word of Life Tabenacle choir will present the Christmas contada entitled "Come to the Manger." The contada will be presented in the two services. The morning service starts at 10 and the evening service starts at 7.

Choir director is Betty Gay. The narrator is Don Keeling.

The misicians are: pianist, Tammy Pence; organist, Jean Keeling; lead guitarist, Bill Bearley, and bass guitarist, Danny Lewis.

Soloists are Ron Stegelmeyer, and Gale Huffman.

Other choir members are Neva Lucas, Ginny Biggs, Sheila Bearley, Rickie Huffman, Paula Lewis, Dorothy Donohue, Arlene Votoupal, Sheila Roseman, Brenda York, Virginia Parker, Lila Simmons, Ilene Britt, Barbara Parks, Danny Huffman, Dick Roseman, Gary York, Linda Malzynski and Richard Duncan

DR. PETER LEE AT SCIENTIFIC MEETING

Peter C. Lee, M.D., 3165 Myrtle Ave., has just returned from New York City, where he attended the national dermatologists convention. The annual scientific meeting of the American Academy of Dermotologists and is a diplomate of the American Board of Dermatologists. He received his specialty training from Northwestern University, Chicago.

He also has a subspecialty in Dermatopathology, one of only two dermatologists in the St. Louis area to achieve this academic accomplishment. Dr. Lee has been practicing in Granite City for the past 10 years.

Bubblemaster leader is now Paul Foster

Paul Foster, of Wood River, has been elected captain of the Bubblemasters Underwater Recovery Team (BURT).

Other officers for 1981 are; Glen Gates of Alton, and Bruce Evans of Granite City, both lieutenants, Dee Adams, treasurer, and Mrs. Pat Evans, secretary, both of Granite City.

Dr. Christine Canon became a new diving member.

The team has been training numerous area fire departments in regard to hypothermia.

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BURGLARY CHARGE

Jack L. Taylor, 17, of 2041 State St. was charged with auto burglary in Granite City Thursday and was transferred Friday morning to the Madison County jail.

My heartfelt thanks to all who signed my petition To Save The Bus.

A special thanks to all Downtown Merchants that cooperated with me on this issue, to Lloyd Bailey, 5th Ward Alderman, for presentation of my petition to the council at City Hall and to Dan Partney who rented Nameoki Recreation Center for the public meeting. My very deepest "Thanks" to Granite City Press-Record for the wonderful coverage given during these events. How very kind of you and your staff.

Thank You
Virginia Webb

Santa Claus highlights downtown stores' party for children

An estimated 350 youngsters hosted by downtown Granite City merchants on Saturday morning brought their parents along and nearly filled the Washington Theater auditorium for the occasion, a pre-Christmas funfest.

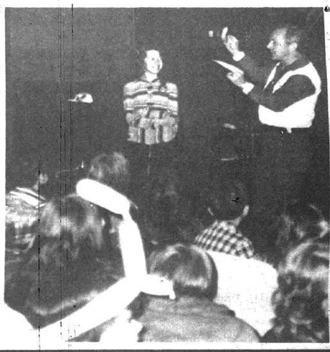
Ainad Shrine Temple clowns (picture at the left) of Southwestern and Southern Illinois entertained the youngsters by creating balloons in a variety of shapes; some of the partygoers wore balloon rings as caps. Another event at the party was choral music by the Job's Daughters.

Magician George Van Dyke (photograph at the right) next mystified the gathering with an assortment of tricks and illusions.

But the high point of the party occurred when Santa Claus (top picture) walked down an aisle of the theater, waving his arms in greeting to his young fans, and then sat down at the front of the auditorium. There, he listened to the tots' Christmas wishes and gave out a big stack of holiday gifts.

It was a highly enjoyable way to spend the morning hours, the audience showed in its enthusiastic response to the activities.

(Press-Record photos by Bill Winter)



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HARASSMENT CHARGE

Marcus L. May, 25, Centreville, was jailed at 3:45 p.m. Monday after being taken into custody at Granite City Steel. A warrant alleges harassment by telephone.

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Applications for park summer employment

The Granite City Park District will be accepting applications for summer employment on Monday, Dec. 29, and Tuesday, Dec. 30, from 9:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. at the Wilson Park office.

Positions to be filled include lifeguards, bathhouse attendants, concession stand attendants, recreation leaders, recreation aides, park police, ball diamond maintenance workers, general maintenance workers, flower garden attendants, tennis instructors, baseball instructors and supervisors for the softball and baseball programs.

Persons interested in being lifeguards must possess a valid senior lifesaving card and present it when applying.

Applicants must be 16 years of age by May 1, 1981, and must reside within the boundaries of the park district.

Air security unit planned

The Air Force said this week it is looking for outstanding young men and women from Illinois and northern Indiana to form a special unit of Air Force security specialists.

"The unit will be called the 'Great Lakes Centurion Flight' and will begin training in San Antonio, Texas, in March," according to Lt. Col. Boyce W. Wiltrout, area Air Force recruiting commander.

He explains that the unit will be sworn in as a group, and remain together for the first 12 weeks of military service. After this period of military and security training, flight members will be assigned to Air Force installations throughout the country and around the workd to guard, defend and protect personnel, equipment and facilities.

"We only want top-notch people. They can represent this area and do an important job for their country," he said.

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Ethnic yule tree displayed at bank; highlights Africa

For the fourth year an ethnic Christmas tree is on display in Madison.

Hand-made ornaments and African beads highlight the African American Christmas tree currently on display in the lobby of the First National Bank in Madison.

The colors of the felt ornaments, stylized African animal forms, bells and angels, reflect the colors in the various flags of African countries.

The beads and other hand-made jewelry symbolize the importance of the arts and crafts in the daily lives of the African people.

The green and red bulbs reflect the blending of western traditions with African cultures in the ethnic heritage of Black American.

The designs and the research for the tree were contributed by Society of Ethnic and Special Studies (SESS) members; Mrs. Fan C. McCollum, instructor of Afro-American literature and director of Student Services at SIU-East St. Louis Campus, and Mrs. Wilma Clopton, executive director of the O'Fallon, Illinois Arts Council.

Beads were donated by Philip Anala, a native of Ghana and instructor of English and African literature, SIU-East St. Louis.

SESS members who assisted in decorating the tree were Dr. Emil Jason, national president, Dr. Amos Cofield, local president, Dr. Lula Lockett, national corresponding secretary, all of SESS, Luella Hawkins, and Jerry Collier.

Mrs. Barbara Madison of the Madison County Urban League was responsible for the coordination of the project.

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15 TIRES CUT ON 10 PARKED AUTOS

Using a knife or some other sharp object, an individual punctured 15 tires on 10 parked autos at the Crossroads Plaza shopping center shortly before 5 p.m. Monday.

Owners of the cars were May Kamadulski, 4336 Highway 162, Sandra Boyer, 3 Watertown Circle, Mary Marvich, 200 Woodridge Court, Flodia McGhee, 210 Watson, Eagle Park, Dwaine Haynes and Julie Wikgren, both of Edwardsville, William Adam, Roxana, Cynthia Dorris, East St. Louis, Ellen Gorich, Fairview Heights, and John Ward, South Roxana.

$500 BURGLARY CASE

A $400 television set, a $60 watch and a $40 radio were stolen from the home of John Ingram, 1734 Second St., Madison, during a burglary last week. Ingram said he may have left a door unlocked. Dresser drawers also were opened and searched.

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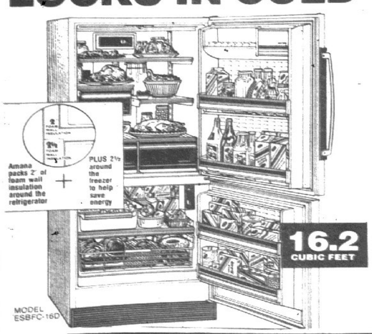

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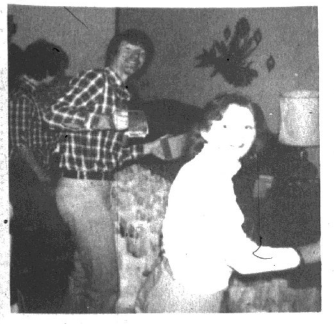

EXPLORER GOOD DEED. Members of Explorer Post 102 are preparing Christmas baskets to deliver to residents of Anchorage Homes; Saturday evening. Explorers pictured from the left are: Ellen Sanders, Bob Moske and Chris Hahn.

GC crime down 5 percent

Major crimes in Granite City decreased five percent in November, compared to November, 1979, while arrests for major crimes increased 28 percent for the same period, according to the monthly report of police activities released by Chief of Police Ronald J. Veizer.

Crime rates remained the same or showed a decrease in every category except burglary, which went from 42 cases in November, 1979, to 46 cases last month, and rape, where one case was reported last month and none were reported in November, 1979.

Decreases were reported in auto burglary, down from 36 to 34; larceny, down from 89 to 80, and auto thefts, down from 17 to 11. Remaining the same were robbery, with two cases each month, and assault, with 27 cases each month. There were no homicides in either November.

Auto burglary arrests rose dramatically, from one arrest in November, 1979, to 14 arrests last month, burglary arrests, up 300 percent from three to nine, and in auto theft cases, where the increase was 250 percent, from two arrests in November of last year to five last month.

Declines were seen in arrests for assault cases, down from 24 to 21, and larceny cases, down from 31 to 28 last month.

Overall, arrests in serious cases increases 28 percent, from 61 in November, 1979, to 77 in November, 1980. A total of 162 cases were cleared by arrest last month, a two-percent decline from the 166 cases cleared by arrest one year earlier.

Traffic arrests were down 22 percent last month from November, 1979, with 269 arrests, compaired to 334 the same month a year earlier. Other arrests were down 31 percent comparing the same months, from 160 last year to 109 last month, bringing total arrests to 369, which is 25 percent below the 494 in November, 1979.

With more than one charge against some of those arrested, the total charges filed last month, 452, were 20 percent below the 568 filed in the same month of 1979.

Thus far this year, there have been 5,577 charges filed against 4,759 persons in Granite City, which are approximately five percent below the 5,823 charges against 5,088 persons in the first 11 months of 1979.

Traffic accidents in the first 11 months of this year, 1,417, are 19 percent below the 1,764 accidents in the same period of 1979, according to the report.

Three persons have been killed as the result of auto accidents thus far into 1980, a 50 percent reduction from the six persons killed during the first 11 months of 1979, Veizer noted.

The police department answered 1,557 complaints during November, the report concluded.

Venice students on TV quiz show

Students from Venice High School will compete against students from Incarnate Word Academy, St. Louis, on "Newsquiz 5" produced by KSDK-TV and to be televised on Saturday, Dec. 20 at 5 p.m.

The quiz show, with host Cliff St. James, is a contest of current events with students from two local high schools competing for prizes for their schools.

Representing Venice High School will be seniors Paula Walker, Gwen West and Lorne Wray. Also, junior Lan Arnold and sophomores Danny Fleig and Neil Mize.

Winners of the competition will win for their school library a 30-volume set of the Encyclopedia Britanica and the runners-up will win for their school Webster's Third Addition of the Unabridged Dictionary.

Ken Perkins and Mrs. Irene Orr are the coaches for the Venice students. The show will be video taped on Friday, Dec. 19.

Christmas events for old and young alike

Proving that Christmas is a time for young and old alike to enjoy, two organizations this week announced plans for Christmas parties.

Chouteau Township senior citizens are being invited to a Christmas party and dance at the township social center tomorrow evening, beginning at 7 p.m.

For the youngsters, Madison-Venice American Legion Post 307, at 740 Broadway, Venice, has announced a children's Christmas party, to be held at the post Saturday from 1 to 3 p.m. It will feature Santa, gifts, movies and special activities.

All members and invited friends of members may bring children to the event.

The Chouteau Township senior citizens event will begin with a short business meeting at 7, followed by the party and dance. According to Walter "Dick" Sparks, all Chouteau Township senior citizens and senior citizens from surrounding organizations are encouraged to come and have an evening of fun together."

Musicians will be furnaces by the Musicians Union to entertain at the Chouteau party. Attendance prizes will be given. No gifts are to be brought to the event.

The Chouteau Township social center and town hall are located next to the township garage and behind the Midwest Motel. It can be reached by taking Interstate 270 to Route 203 north, (Old Alton Road) and turning left onto the frontage road at the sign for the Midwest Motel.

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Post 102 will deliver baskets

Explorer Post 102, sponsored by Suburban Baptist Church as a community service project will distribute Christmas packages to residents of Anchorage Homes.

Carole Mitchell, activity chairman, is organizing distribution of the packages to the 200 apartments on Saturday evening Dec. 20.

While one group of Explorers distribute the packages door to door, another group will be singing Christmas carols.

Many local businesses are cooperating by donating various items to be put in the packages.

The post is providing assorted fruit.

Upon completion of the project the Explorers will meet at the home of Jack Taylor for a Christmas party.

Among the members of Post 102 working on preparing the baskets were: Jack Taylor, Nick Tsigolaroff, Paul Phillip, Carole Mitchell, Charles Shane, Chris Hahn, Bob Moske, Ellen Sanders, Frances Shane and Carole Busch, in addition to Bob and Jean Deckard advisers.

Cub Scouts earn awards

Cub Scouts and Webelos of Pack 122 were presented awards at a regular meeting. Webelos conducted the flag ceremoney under Leader Ray McGee.

The Cub Scouts to receive awards were: Chris Weiss-Bobcat, Chris Anderson-Bobcat, Dennis Jamison-Bobcat. Webelos to receive awards were: Roger Morthland-travelers, and outdoorsman, and Kenny McGee-naturalist.

All dens leaders, mothers and fathers, received corsages. Santa Claus gave out presents to each boy. The presents were Pinewood Derby cars.

Keith Nemeth received a sleeping bag for signing the most boys in the scouts.

Webelos won the trophy again, but Den 2 will provide the game for the next month. The boys were informed the Pinewood Derby race would be in March.

After the meeting each boy and their parents ended the evening with refreshments served by the Den Mothers.

BURGLARY VICTIM

The residence of Algine Martinez, 1108 College St., Venice, told authorities that between 11:30 p.m. Sunday and 1:20 a.m. today her residence was burglarized. Among the items reported taken were; clothes valued at $600, a black and white television $85, two lamps $100, two orange and white pillows $50, a clock $40, and a stereo component valued at $400.

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Hearing on state funding of schools

"Representing a response to real needs at the local level," Illinois Education Supt. Donald G. Gill says, "an $185 million increase in state funds for schools is a responsible budget which considers the projected economic condition of the state."

The State Board of Education will hold a public hearing Jan. 13 in Springfield on the new superintendent's proposed budget before making a final rcommendation to the General Assembly in the spring.

Dr. Gill has recommended a $2.9 billion budget for Illinois schools in 1981-82. His proposal includes about $.24 billion in state funds and $477 million in federal funds.

The major share (58.1 percent) of the new funding would go for general state aid, thereby enhancing local control, according to Dr. Gill.

Of the $2.9 billion, the superintendent's recommended appropriation for general aid is $1.603 billion, an increase of almost $108 million (7.2 percent).

With that appropriation, the present per-pupil guarantee support level of $1,464 would be increased to $1,606.

"Increasing funds for the general state aid appropriation can enhance the State Board's efforts toward maintaining local flexibility and discretion in allocating funds for educational needs," Dr. Gill believes.

"While the budget also reflects a need for support of categorical programs, many school officials across the state have testified that they prefer that funds be increased for general aid."

Under his recommended budget, categorical programs with statutory funding formulas would receive a $45 million increase (14.9 percent). Some pro-ration of reimbursements to districts would still be necessary.

The recommended increase for categorical programs without statutory funding formulas is $3.9 million (five percent) over 1980-81 figures.

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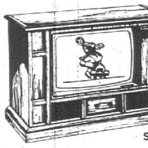

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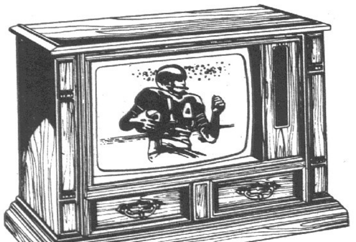

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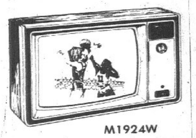

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Cahokia Downs purchase approved

By ED GURNEY

The purchase of Cahokia Downs by the firm that owns Fairmount Park Racetrack has been made possible by the action of a federal bankruptcy judge Wednesday in East St. Louis.

The purchase should be completed this week, according to Bob Graham, general manager of Fairmount Park.

Graham termed the acquisition a "major help" to the year-round operation of Fairmount Park. "We dan't operate the number of days we do without a training facility," he said.

The federal judge approved a reorganization plan under which Ogden Fairmount, Inc., based in Boston, will pay the debts of the bankrupt Alorton racetrack.

Cost of acquiring Cahokia Downs is approximately $3 million, Graham said.

He said it is his rough estimate that it would take another $1 million to put Cahokia Downs in shape to be reopened as a racetrack. (It's been shut down since 1979.)

However, it will be some time before a decision is made whether or not to reopen Cahokia Downs. "I don't think that's the answer, at this point," Graham said.

Instead, Ogden will immediately begin pouring about $300,000 into renovating the barn areas at Cahokia Downs. It is hoped the facility can be ready for training thoroughbred horses "no later than Jan. 1," Graham said. The next thoroughbred season at Fairmount begins Feb. 27.

Graham said Ogden had its three criteria met in the plan to obtain Cahokia Downs:

—Purchase of the land.

—Acquisition of the rights to concessions.

—Buying out the owners of the track.

Rights to the concessions were obtained by paying about $1.16 million in loans to Sportservice of Buffalo, N.Y., the firm that had had a long-term contract at Cahokia Downs.

Ogden now owns a total of five tracks, including two in West Virginia and one in Boston.

Great Lakes port shipping will rise

Governor James R. Thompson has announced he has been assured by the federal govenment that it will soon adopt rules requiring federal agencies to ship at least 10 percent of their government cargoes through Great Lakes ports.

The governor said his office was informed of the new rules at a meeting he called of Great Lakes maritime interests.

"This decision could mean a substantial increase in the amount of cargo shipped through the Port of Chicago and could add substantially to the economy of the state," he said.

In addition to the proposed rules, the Maritime Administration will also soon complete a synthesis of several studies on how to revitalize Great Lakes ports, and make recommendations to the secretary of commerce.

A cross-section of Great Lakes maritime interests were in attendance at the meeting, including representatives from ports, labor, financial, community, state and local government, and major exporters.

Boy Scout dinner date announced

The Cahokia Mound Boy Scout Council will hold the 31st Annual Recognition Dinner on Saturday, Feb. 7, 1981.

The event will begin at 6:30 p.m. in the American Legion Hall in Edwardsville.

Jack Vance, of Edwardsville, is the dinner chairman.

Tickets for the dinner are $5.50 each and must be purchsed by 8 p.m. Monday, Feb. 2.

Tickets may be purchased at the Boy Scout Service Center, 2016 Delmar Ave.

Several volunteer leaders will be honored at the dinner.

The highlight of the evening will be the presentation of the Silver Beaver Award, the highest honor bestowed on a volunteer leader.

EARLY PROMOTION FOR DONALD SCOTT

Marine Pfc. Donald R. Scott, son of Melvin L. Scott and Virginia Bresnahan of 2409 Glen Place and 81 Kaseberg Park, respectively, has been meritoriously promoted to his present rank upon graduation from recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

He received the early promotion for superior performance during all phases of the 11-week training cycle, which emphasized physical conditioning, self-discipline and teamwork. He joined the Marine Corps in August 1980.

TROY LEE TURNER JOINS AIR FORCE

Troy Lee Turner, son of Mr. and Mr. Jerry Turner, 5175 Old Alton Road, Mitchell, has enlisted in the Air Force.

Upon graduation from six weeks of basic training, he will receive training in the mechanic career area. He is a 1979 graduate of Granite City High School North.

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Thorngate Garden Christmas gathering

The Thorngate Garden Club met at the Chimney Room of Burns Cafeteria for its annual Christmas party.

The tables were decorated with large red candles and green rings. A business meeting was conducted and committees were appointed for election of officers for the coming year. Beula Miller is chairman and Jean Bethal will be installing officer.

The ladies delivered Christms corsages and gifts to The Colonnades Nursing Home. Miss Jean Bethal recited "What Is Christmas?" and prayer was given by Mrs. Wanda Kincaid.

A gift exchange was held and games were played. Prizes were awarded to everyone — collector's tree ornaments.

Favors were Christmas treat wall hangings.

Those present included Lillian Delps, Enid Bolen, Betty King, June Markham, Helen Polley, Patricia Polley, Clara Schillinger and President June Lux. Guests were Mrs. Pauline Baker and Mrs. Lucille Mercer.

The next meeting will be with Clara Schillinger, 2323 Lynch Ave.

Mothers' Club Christmas party

Twenty-five members of the Lincoln Place Mother's Club enjoyed their annual Christmas potluck dinner, with all the trimmings. The hall was decorated, including a tree.

President Irene Goede opened the festivities with the Lord's prayer and the pledge to the flag, and provided Christmas music.

After exchanging of gifts, there was dancing, games were played. Linda Garcia won the prize of the evening.

Mrs. Anna Veloff and Mrs. St. Ivany celebrated their birthdays, each receiving a gift. A quilt was given to Nannette Ropac.

Matilda Martinez was thanked for services to the club. Rose Merchoff, Virginia Kittel and Linda Garcia were praised for the decorations.

Next meeting will be Jan. 7.

Madison AMVETS Christmas party

The Madison Amvets will hold their annual adult Christmas party Saturday in the Madison Firemen's Hall beginning with dinner at 7 p.m.

Dancing to the music of the Dave Hylla band will follow dinner.

The Amvets will hold their childrens Christmas party the same day, from 1 p.m. until 4 p.m. at the Fireman's hall.

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Mrs. Joann Yurko entertained with a party at her home on Cynthia Lane. After games and prizes, refreshments were served to Cheryl Jones, Marie Whyers, Lucille Podnar, Pam Gieson and daughter, Jackie Danheiser, Lois Weeks, Helen Bernaix, Pat Rebstock, Connie King, Eva Barry, Josephine Yurko, Linda Doss an Joyce Wilmore.

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HOME FOR HOLIDAYS

Shelly Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Jones of 4908 Carl St., who is attending Tarleton State University, Stephenville, Tex., will arrive home this week for the holidays. She hopes to see her former classmates and friends.

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CHRISTMS PARTY OF PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN

United Presbyterian Women of the Mitchell Presbyterian Church, held their annual Christmas party at the home of Laurabeth Wittkamp.

A pot luck dinner was served by candlelight. Gifts were exchanged from under a Christmas tree.

Those attending were Nita Norris, Fran Sterling, Bettie Futch, Clara Oster, Martha Katzman, Sharon DePew, Lucy Moore, Pat Norris, Georgia Simpson, Doris Lavelle, Avalon Young and Charlotte Star.

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CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

The Mitchell Presbyterian Church Sunday school will hold its Christmas program on Sunday, Dec. 21, during the Sunday school hour. Treats will be given out.

FELLOWSHIP MEET

The December meeting of the Alton Area Chapter of Full Gospel Business-mens Fellowship, Intl. will be held Saturday, Dec. 20, at the Steelworkers Abel Hall, 2821 E. Broadway, Alton, at 7 p.m.

Yule luncheon for quilters

Mrs. Eula Myers and Mrs. Ethel Lerch were hostesses to the Tuesday Quilters of Niedringhaus United Methodist Church this week. The group met for quilting in the morning, then met in the Harmony Classroom for a Christmas desert luncheon, which was served at tables attractively decorated in a holiday theme.

Christmas carols were sung, led by Mrs. Alice Cruse, and homemade cookies were exchanged during the afternoon.

Among those present were Mrs. Goldie Boyle, Gladys Potillo, Bessie Milton, Eleanore Cook, Mrs. Cruse, Fern Hahn, Edna Stitch, Edna Friend, Mildred Ward, Mrs. Myers, Mrs. Lerch, Doris Wigger, Woodie Lynn, Bertha Viesman, Thelma Clements, Clara Sotiroff and Mary Miller, Dora Youngs.

Quilting will resume Tuesday, Jan. 6, 1981.

Holiday dinner at City Temple

The Rev. Ed Shemwell of the Doctrine Class was host to the Twilight Youth annual Christmas dinner at City Temple.

The group sang Christmas carols.

Those attending were the Rev. Cope, Rev. Shemwell, the Rev. Adams, Willard Messner, Ellis Hackney, Jim Bradford Sr., Cecil Green, Buddy Lipe, Euell Mann, Loren Robinson and Jess Rainwater and their wives; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Simmons and Tara, Sam Brawley and Mesdames Arvil Taylor, Raymond Vaughn, Ruth Young, Mattie Walker, Nora Emma Birtly, Madge Holmes, Margaret Taylor, Opal Barnes, Delphia Peach, Shirley Harshaw, Wanda Farrell and Bea Wiles.

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Opti-Mrs. yule party

The Noon Day Opti-Mrs. Club Christmas party was held Monday at Charlie's Restaurant which was decorated in the Christmas spirit.

Twenty-five members attended the luncheon.

The hostesses were Lorain Ranft, Virginia John, Pat Konzen, Tomea Kirchoff and Ella Odum.

Prior to the luncheon Lorain Ranft gave a Christmas prayer. President Gladys Pape conducted a short business meeting and called on Ella Odum to lead the Opti-Mrs. Creed.

Birthday recognition was given Helen Buenger and Helen Todd.

Christmas cards were signed by the members to be sent to Ertha Johnson in the hospital and Lucia Allen in a nursing home.

A Christmas gift exchange was held and games were played with prizes going to Gladys Pape, Catherine Michel, Helen Todd, Helen Wyman and Elsie Branding.

Others attending were: Louise Anderson, Linda Irwin, Edna Bickel, Ann Little, Mildred Branding, Lydia Nelson, Marcia Buenger, Myra Parrish, Judy Dailey, Bobbie Roach, Georgia Engelke, Ruth Sternberg, Jane Giese, Mary Werner.

Church of God Christmas play

"Christmas Comes to the Carey's," a Christmas play by Joy A. Sterling, will be presented Sunday, Dec. 21, at 11 a.m. at the Church of God, 1536 Fourth St. in Madison.

"Christmas Comes to the Cary's" presents the story of a spoiled girl named Angela. It isn't until Hetty, a sincere Christian girl, comes to live in her house that Angela discovers how a real Christian feels about Christmas.

When Hetty becomes aware of Angela's antaganism, she runs away. Only when she returns does the family learn the true meaning of Christmas.

Sandie Laster plays Angela and Lisa Pulley is Hetty. Others include Juanita Redfern, Gene Cloninger, Karn Garner, Matt Garner, Freda Bolling, Steve Bolling, Lonnie Laster, and Billy Suhling, all from the church.

The public has been invited by Pastor Dewey Garner. Transportation is available by calling 931-4471.

Bethesda Baptist church program

Bethesda Baptist Church, 3035 Nameoki Drive, Granite City, will start the holiday season with their annual Christmas supper on Dec. 20, 6 p.m. in the church fellowship hall.

On the following evening, Dec. 21, 7 p.m. the church will present a program of music and the play "O Holy Night" which will be put on by members of the congregation under the direction of Margaret Luffman. Rev. Luther Abbott, pastor, invites the public to attend.

GRANDCHILD IS BORN IN GERMANY

The Rev. and Mrs. Max Schrieber, 2109 Missouri Ave., are announcing the birth of their ninth grandchild.

Their daughter and son-in-law, Specialist-4 Wendell and Martha (Schrieber) Morgan, became parents of a seven-pound, 14 ounce boy named Jeremy Edward on Sept. 21 in Germany. He is their first child.

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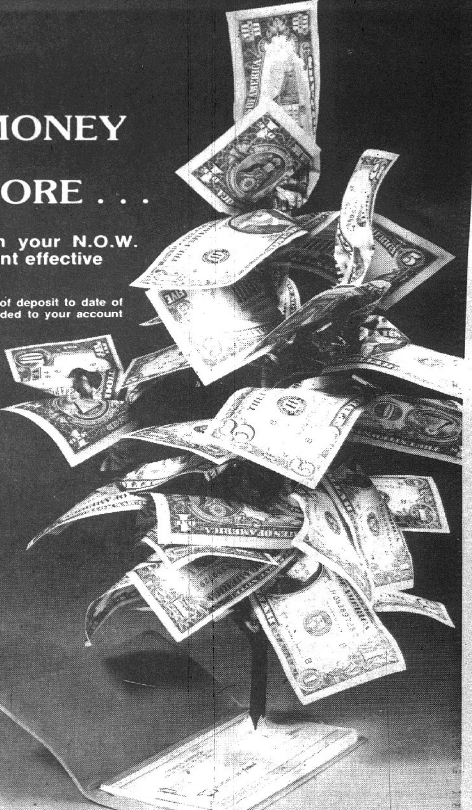
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Mr., Mrs. Paul Dineff celebrate 50th year

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Dineff, 1614 Spruce St., were guests of honor at a buffet-reception given in observance of their 50th wedding anniversary by their children. The event was held at the VFW hall on November 8, 1980.

Mr. Dineff and his wife, the former Mary Papadinoff, were married on November 9, 1930, at the Sts. Kiril and Methody Bulgarian Orthodox Church, Granite City, with the late Reverend Velko Popoff performing the ceremony.

Mr. Dineff retired in 1970 after 15 years, service with the Granite City Community School District 9, as custodian at Niedringhaus Elementary School.

They are the parents of two sons, Boris and Chris Dineff, both of Granite City. Mr. and Mrs. Dineff have five grandchildren; Paul and David Dineff, Beth Ann Signall, Sharon and Sandra Dineff. Also, three great-grandchildren; Joseph and Kayla Dineff and Sarah Signall.

The reception was attended by approximately 150 guests. The hall was appropriately decorated for the occasion and included a display of pictures taken at the couples wedding, Mrs. Dineff's bridal attire and the top decoration from the original wedding cake.

Two members of the original wedding party were in attendance. They were Mrs. Sophia Kipfer, St. Louis, and Mrs. Sophia Bero, Granite City, who were bridesmaids.

Out-of-town guests attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Russell Springer, Collinsville; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Woodson, Mrs. Mary Beran and Mr. Naum Eloff, all of Belleville; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Forguson and children, Fairview Heights; Mr. and Mrs. John Lowe, Caseyville; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Take, Edwardsville; Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Kassa, Decatur; Mr. Ernie Pool, Ferguson, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Signall, Maryland Heights, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. James Noll, Hazelwood, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berger, Detroit, Mich.; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith all of Lebanon, Mo., and Mr. and Mrs. Chris Robeff, Crestwood, Mo.

Handicraft club holds yule party

The Handicraft Club met last week at Alexander's Restaurant for their Christmas dinner party and gift exchange, followed by an evening of daning and socializing. President Gladys Skubish presented each guest with a handmade Christmas tree ornament.

Those present were: Kate Fedora, Frances Vivod, Gladys Skubish, Irene Kadanec, Ann Mega and Alexandra Severine.

The January meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Vivod. The birthday of Mrs. Mega was observed and she received a cash gift from the members.

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Gardenaires have party

Members of the Gardenaires Garden Club enjoyed their annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Charles Kohl. Mrs. Kohl served a noon lunch at tables deorated with holly and candles. Mrs. Leo Schank presented holiday corsages of holly and pine greens to those present.

Members answered roll call by naming their favorite plant used during the holiday season. Mrs. C. E. Eads provided cuttings from a rosemary plant. The rosemary is a sweet-smelling evergreen shrub. This shrub has long been known as the Christmas shrub, and in ancient times a tea was brewed from its spiny leaves which was said to calm the nerves.

During the business meeting, Mrs. Abe Shannon presented the club a monetary gift to purchase a plant to be used during the holiday season at the minigarden information center at the Granite City Public Library.

It was also reported the annual project of decorating the library had been completed. Mrs. Alex Tarpoff, who is the conservation chairman for the local club, and Mrs. Robert Hintz, who is conservation chairman for District V of the Garden Clubs of Illinois, announced plans had been completed for 18 students from the science department at South High School to attend a class in January at the Lehmann Library located at the Missouri Botanical Garden in St. Louis.

The students will be given the opportunity to visit the herbarium which is housed in the library. Accompaning the students will be Mr. Marvin Rensing an instructor in the science department at the high school.

At the conclusion of the business meeting Mrs. Kohl and Mrs. Mary Kristian presented a program on "Holiday Table Settings." They concluded their remarks by reviewing the rules and regulations that govern this class in a standard flower show.

Before the president adjourned the meeting she reminded the members a workday will be held at the library on Tuesday, Jan. 6. The club does not hold a regular meeting in January. The next meeting will be Feb. 12 at the home of Mrs. Mary Kristian.

Present at the meeting, in addition to those already mentioned: Mrs. William Long, Mrs. Roy Hormann, Mrs. Andrew Gonzalez, Mrs. John Farrell, Mrs. Richard Kerch, and Mrs. Jerry Arbeiter. Mrs. Al Malottki, a former member of the club, was a guest.

NUTRITION BOOKLET

Single free copies of the booklet "Nutrition and Your Health—Dietary Guidelines for Americans" can be obtained by writing: Consumer Information Center, Peublo, Colo. 81009, according to Peg Blase, director of the Illinois Department on Aging. The 20-page booklet, prepared jointly by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services and the U.S. Department of Agriculture, lists and explains dietary guidelines.

Pythian Sisters have yule party

Cascade Temple 216 held its annual Christmas party at the K.P. Hall, Monday. A pot luck dinner was served at noon to 20 members.

Mrs. Leola Arbogast served as chairman of the dinner committee. Tables were decorated in the seasonal theme. Opening prayer was by Mrs. Mary Ahlvers.

After the dinner a Christmas program and carol singing was led by Mrs. Alice Cruse, accompanied by Mrs. Mary Ahlvers. Several Christmas stories were read and several members read segments of the "Virginia Christmas Story." During the afternon each one told of a Christmas experience of former years.

MR. AND MRS. DONALD COPPEDGE of Troy Rural Route Two. They will celebrate their silver wedding anniversary Sunday, Dec. 28, with an open house from 2 to 4 p.m. at the Bethel Baptist Church of Troy. Donald Coppedge and Betty Ethridge were married in Greenville on Dec. 28, 1955. They are the parents of one son, Donald L., of Glen Carbon, who along with his wife will be hosting the event. Friends and relatives will be welcome, and the couple has requested there be no gifts. Coppedge is an employee of the Granite City Steel Blast Furnace pipe shop.

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Vicki Taylor betrothal

The engagement of Miss Vicki Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Taylor of 2433a Delmar Ave., was announced today by her parents.

The prospective bridegroom is Skyland Price, 21 Moorland Drive, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Price, 4064 Bruen Ave.

A wedding date has been set for Feb. 14, 1981, at City Temple.

Miss Taylor is a graduate of Granite City High School South and is employed at Ravanelli's.

Brownies attend festival

Brownie Troop 509 of Wilson School participated in the Festival of Giving at St. Margaret Mary Church. They presened a skit entitled, "Getting Ready For Christmas", dressed as Santa's elves.

Those attending were: Ginny Bodenstab, Robin DeShasier, Michelle Ferguson, April Forys, Dawn Hartzell, Heather Hayes, Rhonda Legate, Brandi Myers, Stacy Pyles, Tracy Riggs, Lisa Sharp, Jennifer Stephens, Dawn Turnbow, Barla Walker and Susan Wylde.

This week the troop toured the Police Department. The tour was conducted by Patrolman Roger Hayes.

In the coming week the girls will enjoy a Christmas party and go roller skating. The leaders are Pam Myers and Sue Riggs.

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New officers preside at Granite City Chapter 650

The first meeting of Granite Chapter 650 with the new corps of officers was held Friday night with Worthy Matron Mary French and Worthy Patron Orvin Dieckmann presiding.

Grand lecturers escorted to the East were: Mary Bilbrey, Hazel Wood and Arline Fox. Junior Past matron and patron, Donna and John Boyer, were guests of honor in the East for the evening.

Grand Chapter committee members and past matrons and past patrons present were: Isabel Dieckmann, Rachel Larsen, Frances Williams, Virginia John, Bess Henley, Mary Ellen Lewis, Betty Ebrecht, Donna Kagy, Hulda Griffith and Dorothy Watkins and Charles Youngs, Earl French, John Wood, Lloyd Lewis, Wendell Giritz and David John.

Katheryn Pomeroy, worthy matron of New Hope Chapter, was welcomed and asked to sit in the East. Vee Throne, associate matron made a calendar report and the worthy matron announced her proposed calendar for the year. She also announced her committees for the year.

A Memorial Service was held for Rhesa Dick. Those with birthdays were Rachel Larsen, Carol Downing and Arline Fox. An announcement was made in regard to granddaughters born to Dona and John Boyer and Mary and Earl French.

Worthy Matron Mary French presented gifts to the junior past matron, Dona Boyer, and junior past patron John Boyer. Past matron, Donna Kagy, presented a scrap book to the junior past matron and patron.

Mary French welcomed all and thanked the protems who were: Donna Kagy as associate conductress, Rachel Larsen as Martha and Isabel Dieckmann as chaplain. She wished all members a Merry Christmas and the worthy patron complimented the officers on their work.

The dining room was decorated in the Christmts theme with a Christmas tree on stage and Christmas centerpieces on the tables. Chocolate Santas and bells were used as favors. A Christmas gift exchange was held.

Those serving on decoration and kitchen committees were: Mary French, Earl French, Mary Ann DeHart, John DeHart, Bonnie and Jerry Fisher, Mary Hoover, Peggy Gibbons and Guyla Stuart.

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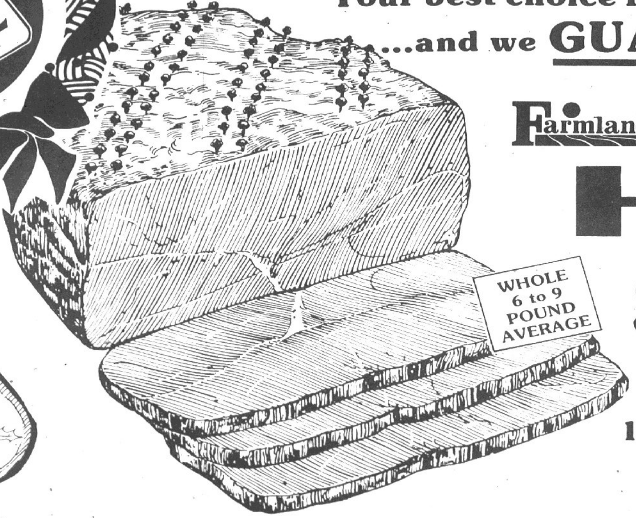

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SIUE course planned on death, dying

The department of philosophical studies at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville will offer a course during the winter quarter on children and death.

Children and Death (HUM 450-4) provides a comprehensive examination of death, dying and bereavement as they are related to childhood and adolescence.

Participants will learn how societal and adult views of death influence children's perspectives. Coursework will also consider research on factors affecting the development of death-related concepts and attitudes in children.

The course is particularly recommended for nurses, clinical psychologists, social workers, members of the clergy, funeral directors, educators and parents.

Classes will meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:30 until 11:20 a.m. Instructor for the course will be Charles Corr.

Corr is the author of numerous reviews, papers, and articles in the field of death and dying. He contributed two chapters to a new textbook on dying and is co-author of Death Education: An Annotated Resource Guide.

Corr has spent several weeks each year for the past three years at a leading hospice in England doing research and working with the terminally ill.

Additional information concerning this course may be obtained by contacting the SIUE department of Philosophical studies at (618) 692-2250.

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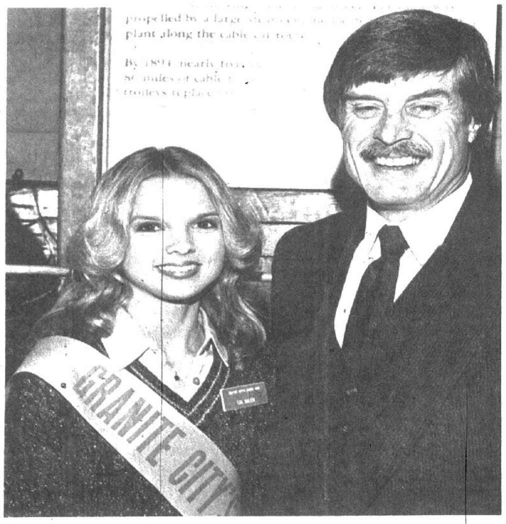

LIA SALEM, the Junior Miss from Granite City. She and 23 other 1981 Illinois Junior Miss Pageant contestants took time out during a busy tour of Chicago to visit the Museum of Science and Industry, the city's most popular tourist attraction. Greeting her is Museum Director of Development Thomas G. Sanberg.

Marriage licenses issued

Marriage licenses issued through the office of Madison County Clerk Miss Evelyn Bowles, in Edwardsville, to Quad-City residents include:

Robert D. Cann and Rita D. Collins, Robert E. Cloud Jr. and Shirley A. Edwards, Glen C. Dixon and Karen A. Kramer, Thomas R. Mitcherson and Cynthia J. Tyler.

David D. Niemeyer and Gena L. Sutton, Francis J. Pyykola and Joyce M. Hughes, Randy J. Smith and Carla F. Harper, John P. Watson and Sue A. Byrd, Walter D. Westbrook and Sharon K. White, all of Granite City.

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Jeffrey L. Urioste of Madison and Linda C. Lowell of Granite City.

Steven D. Wright of Granite City and Karen S. Walliser of Madison.

Terry E. McQueen of Granite City and Sandra V. Jones of Collinsville.

ROOT COMPLETES BASIC TRAINING

Navy Seaman Recruit Mark A. Root, son of Margie Root of 612 Margaret Ave., Granite City, has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes Ill.

Included in his studies were seamanship, close-order drill, Naval history and first aid. Personnel who complete this course of instruction are eligible for three hours of college credit in Physical Education and Hygiene.

A 1979 graduate of Granite City North High School, he joined the Navy in September 1980.

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Sheet metal firm is sold

Millie J. Hordesky, vice president of Combined Investment Co., has confirmed reports that American Sheet & Strip Steel Corp., Highway 162 and 111 has been acquired by Stam Manufacturing Co. of Iowa.

American Sheet & Strip Steel Corp. is a processor of sheet and strip metal which includes cutting and sharing of roll steel and sheet metal together with wholesaling of steel.

They conduct operations locally and in Memphis, Tenn.

Stam Manufacturing Co. has wide interests in Iowa and Illinois, serving the agricultural industry. Negotiations were conducted by Raymond F. Kozielek.

Terms and acquisition costs were not disclosed.

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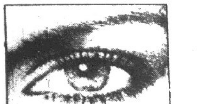

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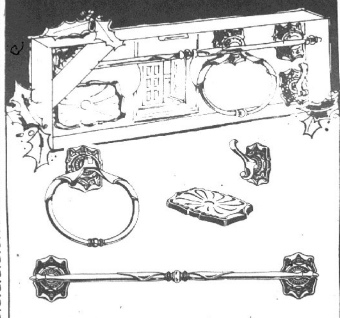
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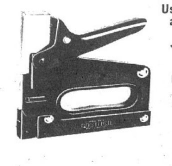
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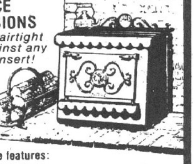
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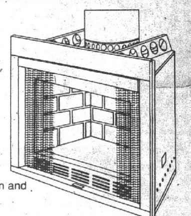
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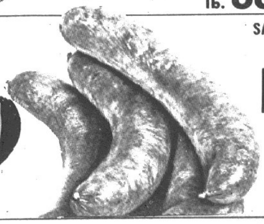

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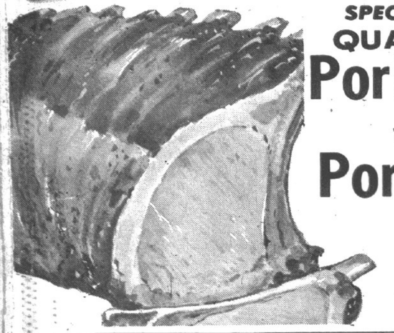

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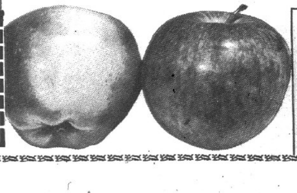

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GC right in withdrawing from area vocational center

Regional cooperation has worked well in the matching of special education students and classes to meet their needs, but this has not been the case regarding vocational and career education. The Granite City School District wisely decided Tuesday night to withdraw from the area vocational center with which it has been affiliated since 1971.

The district no longer will be a member of the J. B. Johnson Career Development Center, situated 2½ miles north of Alton. During the past decade, Granite City schools have never found a need to utilize the center to broaden career opportunities here.

Eighteen vocational programs offered at the Granite City high schools roughly match those offered at the Alton center—heating and air-conditioning, auto mechanics, child care, bookkeeping, marketing, secretarial training, electricity, electronics, clothing, drafting, nurse aide, machine shop, graphic arts, welding, building trades, cosmetology, vocational foods and home furnishing merchandising.

Classes taught by the Granite City district but not available at the J. B. Johnson Center offer medical transcription, hospital housekeeping, fashion merchandising, clerical and unit clerk training.

Four Johnson programs, licensed practical nurse, commercial art, auto body and ornamental horticulture, are being studied as possible additions in Granite City.

Three others, small engines, agricultural mechanics and agricultural resources, are believed to not offer extensive job placement prospects in this area.

The other two Alton courses, diesel mechanics and aviation mechanics, are not being considered here because of their close relationship to the existing local auto mechanic instruction.

School officials estimate that if Granite City students participated in a two-year program at the Johnson Center, they would spend the equivalent of 90 eight-hour days on buses. Other complications include differences in "snow day" decisions in hilly Alton and flat Granite City, and the necessity for students to spend a required number of hours at their home school.

As the Granite City district's vocational and career education director, Thomas C. Holloway, said in a report to Superintendent B. J. Davis and the school board this week, "We see nothing in the future that would prompt us to bus our students north of Alton in order to provide them with quality vocational training.

"But we do realize that future declines in enrollment will lead to combining of some of the vocational programs that we now offer simultaneously at both the North and South high schools."

Inflation the real villain as interest sores out of sight

Comment by Wall Street Journal — Almost everyone wants to know how much higher the prime rate can go. How high's the moon? How many people wouldn't have believed two years ago it could go to 21 percent.?

To begin to understand the current mysteries of the credit markets it is necessary to clear up some misunderstandings.

First of all, credit is not extremely tight, whatever you might have heard. Banks have money to lend, at a price, and some are even discounting that price in special circumstances.

Second, even at 21 percent, credit for many borrowers is not really expensive, after taxes.

Economist Lawrence Kudlow estimates that after deducting interest costs, a business borrower who is paying taxes at a 46 percent rate ends up with his 21 percent money costing him only 11.3 percent. If you figure inflation is higher than that, he is getting it free.

That is not to say there are not serious dislocations occurring at the present high price of credit.

Prospective long-term borrowers are plagued with uncertainties. Disintermediation is sucking some money out of the mortgage markets, affecting sales of houses.

The auto business seems to be taking it on the chin because of the high price of consumer credit (although careful explanation could show some sales prospects the beauties of the interest rate tax deduction, particularly those in high marginal tax brackets).

If there is so much credit around, why is the price so high?

The answer comes from taking a look at what is facing us, which the credit markets are always doing.

What we see is a year ahead in which credit demands are expected to be enormous. Salomon Brothers has just estimated net new satisfied credit demand in 1981 will rise a phenomenal 33 percent to a record $412 billion.

This demand will be placed on a national economy that, because of all the sludge that has been generated by inflation, overtaxation and over-regulation, can be expected to grow only slightly in real terms, if at all.

The conclusion is obvious. If that credit demand is gratified in the way that credit demand has usually been gratified in this political economy, we can expect more double-digit inflation.

If you are a banker pricing out a one-year loan, you don't ask yourself how many dollars you have in your till; you ask what you can offer that dollar for today and still get back something equivalent to the same amount, in real terms, a year from now.

This is your "Inflation expectation." Right now it is producing a prime rate of 21 percent.

One of the big demanders of credit, now and prospective, is the federal government.

With the federal budget essentially out of control, estimates of how much money the feds will want from public borrowing in 1981 are revised upward almost daily, but are already creeping above $80 billion without even mentioning the various allocative programs — FHA loan guarantees, student loans, farm loans and the like, which will also be very large in 1981.

The federal deficit is affected adversely in several important ways by the debt explosion.

Inflation, of course, swells federal entitlement programs. Federal borrowing costs rise sharply because of the high interest costs.

And federal revenues are diminished by the large deductions that taxpayers are making on interest as they pile up debt at high rates.

The federal tax bracket creep is being defeated by borrowing, in the absence of any good way to do it.

None of this is healthy, of course. Almost all of the inflation judgments hamper real growth in the economy, mainly by discouraging long-term investment in more efficient plant and equipment.

Each run-up of nominal credit costs peaks at a higher level and destroys public confidence in the securities markets because of the volatility of securities prices and yields.

That is but one more disincentive to savings. The possibility of credit markets entirely preoccupied with the short term looms.

For some people, credit may be cheap at 21 percent.

But the phenomena that produce 21 percent interest rates are extremely expensive in economic terms.

Unless something is done about them, they will get more expensive still.

New industry in Venice

At the request of Venice manufacturer Milton Morris the Venice City Council Tuesday evening vacated part of McKinley Avenue and part of an alley for industrial expansion.

The street near the railroad tracks was only used by Morris. Half of the street and alley went to American Track Company and the other half to the Terminal Railroad Association.

Morris plans to build a 60 by 140 feet building within a year.

American Track Company will renovate and sell to railroads; reconditioned track, rails and cross overs.

The building will house two cranes and the equipment will be able to work on 39 feet long pieces of rail.

Milmor Manufacturing is already making the production equipment for the new industry.

The plant will employ 10 to 12 skilled workers.

"The railroads are being forced to fix their own track throughout the country and they can buy recondition railroad track much cheaper than new rails," Morris said.

He noted they had 800 tons of track ready to work on and more orders coming in.

Three get petitions

Three more potential candidates for Granite City alderman picked up candidate petitions this week from Granite City Clerk Robert W. Stevens.

David L. Greathouse, grandson of a former alderman, has obtained petitions for Ward One, Harlan Dickey got candidate petitions for the Second Ward and Nelson Dunlap has taken out petitions for the Fifth Ward, Stevens said.

Petition filing is to begin tomorrow and continue through the deadline Jan. 26. Blank petitions may be obtained any time up until the deadline.

Hospital Notes

Patients admitted to St. Elizabeth Medical Center, include:

Sunday, Dec. 14-Shirley Younger, Donna Hartwick, Anna Schaub, Rebecca Seay, all of Granite City; Brenda Nichols, Cahokia; Marty Barton, Mitchell; Carl Catleth, Madison; Juan Mena, Tony Sementa, Fairmont City.

Monday, Dec. 15-Mildred Adams, Sylvia Stockton, Shirley Haggard, Bob Johnson, David Sheppard, Vernon McClane, James Cain, all of Granite City; Terry Penn, Centralia, Ill.; Janet Reynolds, Phillip Fussleman, JoAnn Macko, all of Madison; Betty Middleton, Collinsville.

Tuesday, Dec. 16-Blanche Siner, Jenny White, John Colp, Bonnie Wilson, Jeff Taylor, Phyllis Paul, Charles Weyhrich, all of Granite City; Della Keller, Collinsville; Charleston Hilton, Madison.

News notes

The Health Systems Agency on Tuesday night elected Dr. James Brasfield of St. Louis County as president and Mark L. Drucker of Madison County as first vice-president.

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Governor James R. Thompson said Tuesday he feels the public school budget proposed last week by the state education board is more than the state can afford. The Granite City Board of Education decided Tuesday night to urge the governor not to approve requiring public schools to provide bus service for nonpublic schools unless he also provides a revenue source.

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What does a medical doctor do when she isn't practicing medicine? Dr. Felicia Koch spent part of the weekend costumed as a Disneyland character to entertain youngsters at a Christmas party given by the Women's Division of the Chamber of Commerce. She and Stacy Thomas and Julie Scannell portrayed Donald Duck, Pinocchio and Mickey Mouse. Valerie Stevens and Judy Barnum led a singalong and Gerry Yabut played guitar selections before Santa Claus distributed gifts, fruit and candy.

Buying stolen merchandise keeps thefts profitable

By GARY SCHNEIDER
of the Press-Record

"You're not going to stop the crimes of burglary and theft until the citizens stop buying the loot," Granite City Police Chief Ronald Veizer said yesterday as he announced the clearing of 26 separate cases with two unrelated arrests.

"These are kids, 17 and 19 years old, who arrange a buyer before they even steal this stuff and it is usually sold within an hour of when it is stolen," according to Detective Craig Nonn, "If the outlet ever slows down, burglary will slow down to a walk," he added.

Veizer's and Nonn's comments came after they announced the clearing of 26 separate cases which occurred between November 3, 1979, and Nov. 26, 1980.

The 19-year-old, who resides in the 2200 block of Dewey Ave., has allegedly admitted participation in 11 cases, including two garage burglaries, four house burglaries, a stolen truck and four auto burglaries, all between Nov. 3, 1979, and Sept. 4, 1980.

Loot included four car stereos, four speakers, two CB radios and three tool boxes and tools, as well as a bicycle, cameras, jewelry, a battery charger, a knife, shotgun shells, liquor, a television and other items, according to police reports.

He has pleaded guilty to one of the crimes and has been sentenced to serve three years in prison. "He is already in the custody of the Department of Corrections," Nonn said.

The 17-year-old, who resides in the 2100 block of Benton Street, allegedly has admitted 15 incidents, mostly vehicle burglaries, all in October and November of this year.

According to Capt. Bob Astorian, chief of the detective division for the Granite City police, the young man, who had just been released from the custody of a juvenile institution when the rash of thefts began, worked mostly as a "short-order thief," getting orders from "customers" in several local taverns and then going out and stealing the items ordered.

Most of his orders were for auto batteries and he has admitted stealing 10 of them and selling them to his "customers," the officers alleged.

Also among his admitted loot were four CB radios, four stereos, four tool boxes and tools, three tires and wheels and a gun.

He also stole two vehicles during the crime spree before police caught him, authorities said.

He is being held in the Madison County Jail at Edwardsville in lieu of $20,000 bond on the burglary charge and the Department of Corrections has a hold order on him on a motion to revoke his parole, according to official records.

The two worked independently of each other, "but each knew the other was a thief," according to Detective Nonn. No links to their crimes have been discovered, he added.

Many of the items stolen by the two young men were recovered and returned to the owners, according to Chief of Police Ronald J. Veizer.

"We want to stress that the owners are aware of everything we have recovered. Victims not contacted should realize that their items were sold, usually within an hour of being stolen, and have been resold and resold until they have just disappeared.

"There is no reason for the victims who have not recovered their items to call us, because we do not know where the items are, and neither do the young men in custody," Veizer concluded.

Veizer owed much of the success of the investigation to a Southwestern Illinois Law Enforcement Commission mini-block grant which was used to free Nonn from other duties to devote his attention to only one case at a time.

"This grant enabled him to work unhampered on these cases and bring them to a satisfactory conclusion. Both of these young men currently are in jail and will remain there for some time, that we can promise you," the chief said.

The SILEC grant for the investigator is in its second year and will expire this April. "We certainly hope they continue it, for without it, this type of case may go unsolved and these young thieves would still be on the streets, continuing these crimes," Veizer contended.

He explained that in the first year, 95 percent of Nonn's was picked up by the grant. The second year, the grant was cut to 60 percent. The future after April is unknown.

Nonn credited much of his success to "the sharp eyes and hard work of the police on patrol. We tell them who we want to talk to and within a very short time, that person is sitting at my desk.

"The patrol people know these people and where to find them and it isn't long before they find them," Nonn stated. He added, "The patrolmen are out there observing, watching.

"In one case, we knew where a stolen television set was and didn't want the set to get out of the area, without us knowing it. The patrol division went to work and I don't believe a mouse could have gotten out of that area.

"Without the patrol division, there is no way these cases could have been solved," Nonn contended.

Chief Veizer concluded, "The solving of these cases has greatly reduced the crimes of theft and burglary in our town. We are pretty happy with the slowdown of burglaries during this Christmas season."

Crimes to which the 19-year-old allegedly admitted follow.

—Nov. 3, 1979, theft of a Dron Electric Co. truck from 20th Street and Edwardsville Road.

—Jan. 6, 1980, thefts from the garages of Jerry Gray, 2601 Center St., and Chester Eggley, 2609 center St.

—Feb. 4, 1980, burglary of the car of Raymond Kahn, 208 Wilson Park Lane.

—April 3, 1980, burglary of the auto of Danny McCallister at 18th Street and Edison avenue.

—May 4, 1980, burglary of the auto of Wanda Herman, 2711c Center St.

—May 19, 1980, burglary of the auto of Anna Parris, 1737 rear Edison Ave.

—Sept. 1, 1980, burglaries at the Monday Maid Laundry, 23rd Street and Illinois Ave., and two burglaries in one day at the home of Silver Pigg Sr., 2440 Ohio Ave.

—Sept. 4, 1980, burglary at the home of Elizabeth Schertz, 2438 Ohio Ave.

The officers said the crimes to which the 17-year-old admitted, all this year, were:

—Oct. 24, burglary of the auto of Leon Belt and the trucks of Larry Spicer and Ed Stephens, all at 25th Street and Ohio Avenue.

—Oct. 30, burglaries of the auto of Darmond Broyles, 2429 Bryan Ave., the auto of John Singer, 2305 Ohio Ave., and the car of Bill Frost, 2306 Logan Ave., all parked at the owner's homes.

—Nov. 4, stealing the auto of Dan Wright from the rear of Vaughn's Pharmacy downtown.

—Nov. 8, theft from the van of Winford Marler, 2210 Bryan Ave.

—Nov. 15, theft from the auto of Gary Madison, 2100 Dewey Ave.

—Nov. 22, stealing the auto of Linda Moody from a St. Elizabeth Medical Center parking lot and a second theft from the auto of Winford Marler, at his home.

—Nov. 25, theft from the auto of Manual Howard, 2205 Nevada Ave., and from the auto of Mina Wofford, 2219 Dewey Ave.

—Nov. 26, theft from the auto of Tom Belshe, 2211 Dewey Ave.

Welfare cases cut with cross-checking

Since 1976, when a data exchange program was initiated by the Illinois Departments of Public Health and Public Aid, more than 2,000 public aid cases have had their grants either reduced or cancelled.

According to William L. Kempiners, director of the state health department, Public Health provides marriage and death records to Public Aid for comparison with public aid welfare rolls. The comparisons enable Public Aid to detect ineligible recipients or improper grant amounts and to take appropriate actions.

LIBRARY DIRECTOR SEEKS NEW DUTIES

John C. Abbott, director of Lovejoy Library at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville since 1960, has announced plans to resign the position and seek reassignment on the staff as a librarian as soon as a new director is available to take charge.

In a memo to Earl Beard, acting vice president and provost, Abbott said he hopes the reassignment can be achieved by July 1, 1981. Explaining his decision, Abbott said: "I have for a long time expected that age 60 would be the upper limit that I would set for myself as director, a boundary I will soon be crossing."

HOME BURGLARIZED

Gay Garrett, 30, of 1016 Douglas St., Venice, discovered that between 8:45 p.m. and 9:55 p.m. Wednesday his home had been entered. The bed room was ransacked. Items taken included $156 in food stamps, $75 in cash, and an eight track player with speakers. Forced entry was made to the home.

Indecent liberties with 5-year-old girl alleged

Ivan Nels Orsland, 53, of 3728 S. Jefferson, St. Louis, has been charged with taking indecent liberties with a child in connection with an incident in the 4900 block of Kirkpatrick Homes at 7:45 p.m. Tuesday in which a 5-year-old girl alleges that Orsland raped her.

The child's mother said the father was in the hospital, so a friend of his, Orsland, was staying in the apartment to protect the family.

The mother said that when she called her children for supper, the boys came, but the young girl did not, so she started up the stairs to investigate. As she climbed the stairs, the child came out of the bedroom, pulling up her trousers and visibly upset.

The child alleged Orsland raped her, according to official reports. The mother took her to a neighbor's apartment and called police, who went to the victim's apartment and arrested Orsland.

His bond was set at $50,000 and he appeared before Associate Judge Tom Hildebrand yesterday, who issued a mittimus for Orsland to be taken to the county jail at Edwardsville, in lieu of bond.

Orsland remained in the Granite City Jail this morning, awaiting transportation to the county jail.

Work begun on realignment of drives at South High, Coolidge

Work has begun on realigning the driveways for Granite City High School South and Coolidge Junior High School to align head-on with Jill Avenue at Nameoki Road (Illinois Route 203) and become part of a four-way intersection with traffic lights, City Engineer Monroe Brewer told the Granite City Council Tuesday night.

A letter was read from the Illinois Department of Transportation approving a $24,654 contract with C.D. Peters Construction Co. to do the work. Brewer said that as soon as the IDOT approval was received, Peters began the work.

Mayor Paul Schuler asked Brewer if that meant the intersection or the entrance driveways would be torn up all winter and Brewer said he is fairly sure the original driveways can be kept intact and in use until the new driveways are ready next spring. "We'll check into it," Brewer pledged.

In another matter pertaining to Nameoki Road, the council was read a letter from Brewer to Dale Klohr, district engineer for IDOT, asking IDOT to reconsider its previous decision not to install a traffic light at Nameoki Road and St. Clair Avenue.

In the letter, Brewer calls it a problem intersection for traffic and asks IDOT to investigate the matter and recommend a source of funding for traffic lights there. No response has yet been received, Brewer said.

SA drive short

The annual Tree of Lights drive is $16,896 behind the goal of $32,000 needed this year to aid needy families during the Christmas season.

Contributions this year have reached $15,104 as of today but the 1979 holiday campaign of the Salvation Army had reached $18,000 of the $30,000 goal at the same time last year.

Contributions may be mailed to the Salvation Army Corps Community Center, Post Office Box 338, Granite City.

Salvation Army officials said today applications for assistance indicate a substantial need for Tree of Lights food baskets and clothing.

Applications for assistance closed yesterday, the Corps officers added.

IN INTENSIVE CARE

Melvin Durham, 63, of 2436 Iowa St., was admitted to the intensive care unit of St. Elizabeth Medical Center at 2:07 p.m. Tuesday suffering from multiple injuries following a one car accident. Durham was driving east on Illinois Highway 162, two miles east of Illinois Highway 111, when he lost control of his car, which left the roadway.

Nameoki to raze 4 homes

Nameoki Township officials have completed the purchase of four homes which are to be razed for a mini-park in the Cloverleaf Subdivision.

About 30 persons—property owners, renters, mortgage holders and subleasers—attended a meeting last week, at which all four properties were purchased and the titles were transferred to the township.

Community Development grant funds were used to purchase the houses. The grant funds also were used to pay relocation fees to families which will have to move, so the structures can be demolished, it was reported.

Shortly after the meeting, two of the houses burned. The origins of the fires are under investigation, according to Supervisor Harold Davis.

In about 90 days, the township will demolish the structures, clear the land and start planning park, with the aid of neighborhood residents.

"We will put whatever they want there, whether it is a mini-park like we put in State Park Place or some other kind of park," Davis pledged.

Davis said the Cloverleaf Park is just one of the accomplishments of his term as supervisor, a post he is leaving after the April election. He is running for highway commissioner, a post he says will better fit his schedule.

Another recent accomplishment has been the activiation of a tornado warning system to serve the Arlington Heights subdivision and Holiday Mobile Home Park. A dedication of the system is being planned for the near future.

Another accomplishment which will be seen soon is a new bus to transport senior citizens and the handicapped free for doctor visits, shopping, banking and other errands.

Davis met with a representative of Dave Croft Chrysler Dodge Monday afternoon to receive title to the new senior citizens van and to turn over a check for $14,384 from the Southwestern Illinois Area Agency on Aging to the dealership as payment in full for the van. No township funds were utilized in the purchase.

San Diego drafts 'Fern'

South All-America goes in fourth round of NASL draft

By PETE HAYES
Sports Editor
of the Press-Record

GRANITE CITY — David Fernandez, the All-Everything striker for Granite City South the past four years, can stick another feather in his cap. He was chosen Monday in the North American Soccer League draft in the fourth round by the San Diego Sockers.

Fernandez, who has not yet announced his college choice, said he was "very content" the day after the NASL amateur draft was held. "I'm happy," he said. "It wasn't unexpected. But I was kind of surprised at being picked by San Diego. I expected it to be Chicago."

The Chicago Sting and the New York Cosmos of the NASL had expressed interest in Fernandez, who became the second South star in as many years to be drafted by an NASL team. Last season, the Cosmos drafted Randy DeRousse on the first round. DeRousse now is on full scholarship at Eastern Illinois University.

But will Fernandez go professional? If he does, he will forfeit any chances at playing collegiate soccer, and there are a lot of major soccer schools interested in him — at such schools as SIU-Edwardsville, St. Louis University, Connecticut and Indiana. There's not a school in the contry that wouldn't want him. "It all depends on what they (San Diego) say," Fernandez said. "It would have to be a stable offer. I don't want it to be like (Randy) DeRousse last year. They picked him on the first round and then told him he wouldn't be playing for him for four or five years." Also fresh on the former Warrior star's mind could be the situation that developed between SIU-E star Don Ebert and the Cosmos last season. Ebert was the first player picked in the NASL draft, but the Cosmos, who feature mostly foreign players, said he wouldn't play much this season or next. He quit the team and now plays for the St. Louis Steamers of the Major Indoor Soccer League.

"The (Ebert) thing wasn't on my mind too much until I was actually drafted," said Fernandez. "But I've been thinking a lot about it, too."

Fernandez said that what he means by a "stable offer" would be one that would guarantee in writing that he would by on the team. "I wouldn't have to start or even play too much," he said. "I know I'd have a lot to learn. But I'd want to know where I stood with them."

As far as he's concerned, it's not a matter of wanting to go pro or not. "Oh, I want to," he said, shaking his head, his cherubic face in a grin. "Worse than anything. I feel I've got something to prove."

What could a player who has led his team to four state championships, been named All-State four times, All-State Tournament three times and All-America twice have to prove? "I've got something to prove to the National Team people," he said. Fernandez was not chosen for the National Youth Cup Tournament Team last summer. "I know I've got what it takes. But everything depends on what San Diego says."

But there's one thing more important to Fernandez, believe it or not. "Getting a college education is important," he said. The NASL has a rule requiring teams to set aside so much money to pay for the college education of high school draftees. "I've heard they only set aside about $10,000, though," said Fernandez. "A college education nowdays would cvost more than that, all totalled."

Fernandez is a diminutive sort, standing only about 5-10. And he had acquired a reputation during his high school career of being inury-prone. "There's no problems with the knee or the ankle now," he said. "But my size would be a problem in the pros."

If he decides to go with the Sockers' offer, Fernandez won't be

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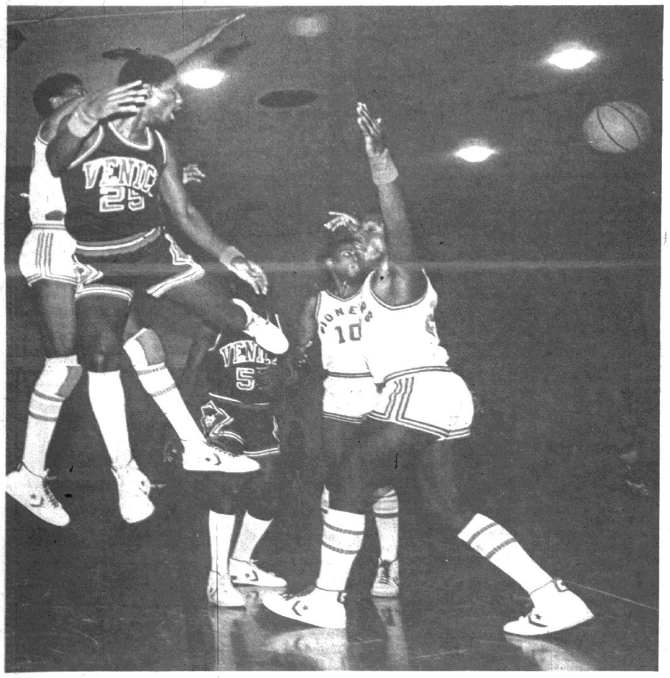
DAVID FERNANDEZ



CAGE BALLET. Venice's James Cox (25) shoots a pass across court after snaring the rebound Tuesday night in his team's loss to East St. Louis Assumption on the road. The next action for Venice (0-6) will be Friday at home against St. Paul of Highland.

(Press-Record Photo by Ed Sedej)

Venice (minus three) falls to Assumption

By TOM SCHOCKER
of the Press Record

EAST ST. LOUIS — High school coaches often have tough decisions to make. After Venice High lost its sixth straight prep basketball game, 62-51 to East St. Louis-Assumption here Tuesday, its head coach, Ken Perkins, might have wished he hadn't suspended three of his regular starters for the game for what he called "disciplinary reasons."

"There were some serious personal problems at school," said Perkins. "It was an incident that happened before the first game and we waited for all the facts to come out. When they came into the open, the people involved were disciplined."

Perkins said that senior John Williams, junior Kenneth Walker and sophomore William Watts were the Red Devils forced to stay home for Tuesday's game. Another starter, junior Harold Milton, had a minor part in the incident, so Perkins refused to start him, even though he did see action.

Perkins did not say how long the disciplined players would be out of action.

"I thought I handled the situation the best way I could," said Perkins.

What Perkins did was take a valuable asset away from an already deprived team. With the suspension went what little height Venice had. As the Pioneers tore up Venice on the boards, 36-24, Walker at 6-2 or Williams at 6-1 might have brought the Red Devils some relief.

"Rebounding was definitely a problem," said Perkins. "We just didn't get a second shot. When we did, (Tony) White intimidated them."

The Pioneer center pretty much had his way throughout the game. Dropping in seven shots on only ten attempts, White collected nine of his 15 points in the first half. He tapered his scoring production in the second 16 minutes, to take charge of the boards, hauling in 16 rebounds for the game. "We can match up pretty well with anybody," said Assumption head coach Ted Daniels. "I've got three kids who can get the job done."

As White tailed off in the offense, Tony Berry stepped in. Recording only four points in the first half, Berry came up with a game high 21, including 11 of Assumption's 14 fourth quarter tallies. "When they (Pioneers) needed the points, they went to their money men," said Perkins. "When started to come back, we went our money man, too. The problems was that he didn't produce."

The Red Devils had to fight back all night. A three point play by the Pioneer's White early in the first period, put Venice behind to stay. Archie Gardner's eight first quarter tallies kept Venice within a range at 15-13, but the "money man" lacked that value for the remainder of the contest.

Perkins put the game into perspective as he ran his finger through the scorebook to point out a big downfall. "Ken Wise, four fouls and only two points," said Perkins. "He's a senior. James Cox, eight points in the first half and then none in the fourth quarter. He's a senior, too. We didn't have the leadership we needed. The seniors that were susposed to be, just weren't there."

The apprehensive play was evident in the deciding third quarter when Venice scored 10 points and shot a lowly 27 percent. "We weren't consisted in taking good shots," said Perkins. Venice hit 37 percent of its attempts for the game. Even though Gardner led the team with 18 points, he only connected on nine of 24 tries.

The Red Devils wouldn't back off, though. Putting together a charge in the third period, Venice drew to within six at 44-38. But Tony White silenced the rush with an unexpected and awesome slam dunk standing directly under the bucket. "The dunk was monsterous," said Perkins. "It didn't kill us, but it sure hurt."

Venice attempted to make one other run at the lead in the final stanza. Running off six unanswered points, the margin was cut to seven at 52-45, but the effort couldn't get it any closer. "As a new coach, I'm always concerned about every game," said Daniels. "Knowing what they (Venice) did against Madison, I knew the game would be tough."

Although Venice fell further under the .500 mark to 0-6 and played a relatively close game without three starters, Perkins has to have a good feeling about his team. "I think we could have given them a better game with the other players in there," said Perkins. "I'm proud of the way we put in a stretch run. I'll give them credit for that, they don't give up."

VENICE (51) — Archie Gardner 18, James Cox 10, Keith Marchbanks 9, Terron Ware 8, Kenneth Wise 2, Harold Milton 2, Raynard Barbee 2. FG 23, FT 5, PF 14.

ASSUMPTION (52). — Tony Berry 21, Tony White 15, Tony Williams 10, Joe Hurst 9, Gerome Williams 4, Keith McReynolds 3. FG 26, FT 10, PF 14.

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Trojans vs. Bradley in Centralia Tourney

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Sports Editor
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CENTRALIA — The Madison basketball Trojans, they of the run-and-gun, of the whirling slam-dunk, of the pressure that has made countless opponents wilt, have jumped into the Big-Time. Oh, they may have thought they were in the Big-Time when they made those two trips to the Assembly Hall at the University of Illinois to bring home a state small school championship in 1976 and a fourth-place finish last year. But that was small potatoes compared to what they're getting into over the Christmas break.

Madison is entered in the Centralia Holiday Tournament. One of the oldest post-Christmas tourneys in the country, the Centralia meet annually attracts some of the best high school basketball teams in the Midwest. Take last year's tournament champion, for instance, Chicago Manley, which went on to capture the Class AA (large school) state champ.ionship last season with All-America Russel Cross at the helm.

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Madison will open the tournament in the first game of the opening session against Bradley-Bourbannais at 9 a.m. on Monday, Dec. 29. Bourbannais is a school from near Chicago with an enrollment of 1,760. Madison High's student population is 487, by far the smallest in the tournament.

But size doesn't really matter to trojan coach Larry Graham. "I'm really glad to be able to play in this tournament," he said. "There are some very good, very big schools in it. But it can't do anything but help us. The tougher the competition, the better."

Complete first round pairings for Dec. 29 are:

9 a.m. - Madison vs. Bradley Bourbonnais

10:30 a.m.- Belleville West vs. Arlington Heights

1:15 p.m.- East St. Louis Senior vs. Mascoutah

2:45 p.m.- Peoria Woodruff vs. Chicago Manley

4:15- Homewood-Flossmoor vs. Benton

7 p.m.- Mount Vernon vs. Chicago Rich East

8:30 p.m.- Chicago Marist vs. Centralia

10 p.m.- Edwardsville vs. Champaign Central.

Don't let Madison's enrollment fool you, though. The Trojans have played the likes of East St. Louis Senior, Edwardsville, Granite City North and South, Chatham Glenwood and Springfield Griffin in recent years. The Trojans defeated all of them but East St. Louis, losing a one point game in overtime to the Flyers last season. All have bigger enrollments than Bradley Bourbonnais.

The Boilermakers of Bradley Bourbonnais are coached by former Collinsville All-Stater Roger Bohnenstiehl, who later went on to gain All-America honors at the University of Kansas. He graduated from Collinsville in 1964.

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Steamers surge past out-classed Stallions

By PETE HAYES
Sports Editor
of the Press-Record

ST. LOUIS — In the standings, it'll look like just another victory for the St. Louis Steamers. But Wednesday night's 4-1 victory over Buffalo at the Checkerdome was just the tonic the doctor ordered for the club.

After taking a 9-5 thrashing Sunday night at the hands of defending champion New York, the Steamers needed a win last night to: 1)give them some of their confidence back and; 2)show the fans of St. Louis that their strong early-season showing wasn't a fluke. They did both.

"It was a good win," said Steamer head coach Pat McBride. "Especially since we were without so many key people."

The Steamers were without the services of former SIU-Edwardsville star Greg Makowski, St. Louisian Denny Vaninger and another foromer SIU-E player, Greg Villa. In addition, captain Steve Pecher played only the first half, suffering from a broken toe and a case of the flu.

Two fourth period goals Ty Keough and Yilmaz Orhan cemented the victory for the Steamers. Up until that time, however, it was a clear case of the have-nots nearly beating the haves.

St. Louis dominated the game froma territorial standpoint. But you don't get any points in soccer for time of possession. Only the goals count. And Buffalo got the first one.

Ilija Ivkovic scored with only 41 seconds remaining in the first quarter, giving the Stallions a 1-0 lead. Steamer goalie Slobo Ilijevski didn't have a chance. After making the initial save on a shot by Zoren Savic, he was caught on the turf in a maze of legs. Ivkovic shot the rebound into the net. On only its third shot of the game, Buffalo had claimed the lead.

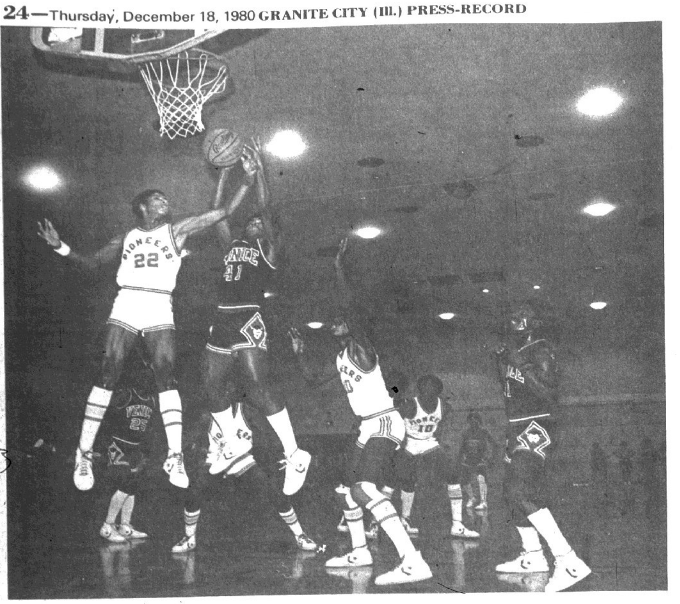
But back came the Steamers. Tony Glavin, on an assist from John Stremlau, tied the score at the 11:19 mark of the second quarter. On the play, Stremlau set Glavin up with a perfect feed-pass from the right corner. Glavin simply touched the ball into the net.

The goal that turned out to be the winning one came in the third period. Orhan scored his first of two on the evening on a beautiful left-footed shot after getting the pass on a two-on-one break from Don Ebert. Buffalo goalie Scott Manning came out to try and stop Orhan, who simply took the shot with his left foot instead of his right.

Obviously, the defenses of both teams played failry well. "We just totally shut them (Buffalo) down," said Ebert. "It was our best our defense has played all season."

Included in that defense was Iljevski, who made 18 saves in the nets for the Steamers.

NOTES: St. Louis outshot Buffalo 45-35... Manning made 21 saves for Buffalo.



IT'S SMOKEY. Venice's Harold Smokey" Milton (41) goes high for a rebound Tuesday night in his team's loss at East St. Louis Assumption. The loss dropped the Red Devils to 0-6 on the season.
(Press-Record photo by Ed Sedej)

Steelers grab top spot in weekly poll

GRANITE CITY — Is this the year that the pendulum swings from the South side of town to the North side? According to the first Press-Record Prep Wrestling poll of the season, it just might be.

Granite City North, unbeaten and unchallenged thus far this season, is the best team on this side of the Mississippi River, according to the poll of five area prep wrestling coaches. But North's Steelers didn't run away with the top honors. Right on their heels is perennial powerhouse Granite City South, also unbeaten and unchallenged. And only two points behind the Warriors are the Roxana Shells, evidently having completed the reconstruction that began three seasons ago.

North, which ended Belleville West's 62-match unbeaten streak in a four-way dual meet in Collinsville nearly two weeks ago, looks to be strong at just about every weight level this season. The Steelers have clearly dominated every opponent on their way to a 7-0 record.

The Steelers have three grapplers back who qualified for the IHSA State Finals last season. Senior Gerald Miller leads the way at 119 pounds. Senior Mike Robinson (son of North cross country coach Pete Robinson) at 105 and junior steve Smith also went to the Class AA Finals last year.

PRESS-RECORD WRESTLING POLL
(First place votes in parentheses)

Team	Pts.
1. GRANITE CITY NORTH (2)	46
2. GRANITE CITY SOUTH (2)	44
3. Roxana (1)	42
4. Belleville East	36
5. Belleville West	30
6. Cahokia	20
7. East St. Louis (Sr.)	18
8. O'Fallon	14
9. Edwardsville	10
10. Bethalto	7

OTHERS WITH VOTES (in order): Mascoutah and East St. Louis Lincoln.

After North pinned that 26-17 loss on Belleville West (which finished first in last season's P-R Poll), ending the streak, Roxana beat the Maroons the very next match, giving last year's powerhouse two losses in a row. Even though the Shells didn't beat West as convincingly as did the Steelers, they did beat them, something that Illinois teams haven't been able to do for a long time.

Granite City South, which received as many first place votes as North, keeps rolling along. The Warriors, whose only loss last season was to West, appear to have another in a long line of powerful teams. The only weakness on this year's South squad could be in the lower weights.

After the top three teams, the drop-off begins. Belleville East in ranked fourth, six points ahead of crosstown rival West.

North and South have faced one common opponent this season — he Vikings of Parkway North. The Steelers shut them out 58-0 and South beat them 50-9, losing only two lower weight bouts at 98 and 105 pounds.

North won't get a chance to wrestle South in a dual meet until the last match of the season, Thursday, Feb. 5 at South, even though wrestlers from the two teams will undoubtedly face each other next week in the annual South Christmas Tournament. North will face Roxana in a four-way dual at Roxana with Cahokia and Carbondale Jan. 31, while South faces the Shells in a quadrangular meet at Hazelwood Central Jan. 24, along with Lindbergh and Central.

Hoop Shoot this Saturday

GRANITE CITY — The Granite City Elks, as previously reported in the Press-Record, will sponsor its annual "ELks' Hoop Shoot" contest, this Saturday, Dec. Dec. 20, at the Grigsby Junior High School gymnasium.

The Elks Hoop Shoot is a contest for youngsters, both boys and girls, which involves free throw shooting. The contestant who makes the most free throws out of a predetermined number of attempts, will be declared the winner.

The contest is open to all boys and girls in the Quad Cities area, including Madison and Venice. There are three age groups involved; 8-9 years old, 10-11 years old and 12-13 years old. In order for a contestant to participate in a specific age group, he or she cannot be older than the oldest age in that group before April 1, 1981.

Sign-ups at the Grigbsy Junior High gym, located off Pontoon Road near Pontoon Beach, will begin at 10:30 a.m. Saturday.

Winners of the local contest will advance to the State Contest in Champaign. State winners advance to the Regional Contest in Iowa. Regional winners will advance to the National Finals in Kansas City, which will be held during halftime of a Kansas City Kings professional basketball game.

Lakeview vs. South in first round at Wood River

WOOD RIVER — The pairings for the annual Wood River Christmas Basketball Tournament were released here Tuesday. And Granite City South, which won the first two tournaments and finished second to Wood River last season, could have a tough time matching that record this time around. The Warriors are paired with tough Decatur Lakeview in the upper bracket of the first round in the double-elimination affair.

Lakeview has a record of 4-1 on the young season. The Spartans last played Friday night at home against Apollo Conference rival Paris, and beat the Tigers 70-44. Lakeview is 1-1 in conference play.

South will face Lakeview at 3 p.m. in the tournament's second first-round game on Monday, Dec. 29. The entire first round pairings are:

1 p.m.- Roxana vs. Litchfield

3 p.m. Granite South vs. Decatur Lakeview

6:15 p.m.- Piasa Southwestern vs. Bethalto

8 p.m.- Wood River vs. Clinton, Tenn.

On Tuesday, Dec. 30, the losers of the first two games will play each other. The secondtwo losers will play at 3 p.m.

The semifinal games will be played during the evening session. At 6:15 p.m., the winners of the first two games will play. The winners of the second two games will play at 8.

On Wednesday, Dec. 31, the winners of Tuesday's first two games will play for the consolation championship at 4:30 p.m. At 6 p.m., the losers of the second two Tuesday games will tangle for third place. The championship game, pitting the winners of the two semifinal games, will be played at 7:45 p.m.

Before entering the tournament, South will have two tough Gateway East Conference games. This Friday, the Warriors will play at Edwardsville. Saturday night, they will host powerful Cahokia.

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Lincoln Tigers voted best

GRANITE CITY — East St. Louis Lincoln is still the top Class AA (large school) basketball team in the area, despite losing its first game of the season last weekend, according to this week's Press-Record—Collinsville Herald Prep Coaches Poll.

Lincoln's Tigers, who lost to Chicago Marshall Saturday night, got six first pace votes and finished five points ahead of arch-rival East St. Louis Senior, which received two of the 10 first place votes. The other two first place votes went to Gateway East Conference power Cahokia, which thrashed rival GEC school Edwardsville last week in the first conference showdown of the season. They finished eight points back of Lincoln.

The point margin between third and fourth place shows a "Big Three, Little Seven." Belleville West comes in fourth, followed by Edwardsville, Collinsville, Belleville Althoff, Wood River, Belleville East and Mascoutah.

CLASS AA
(First place votes in parentheses)

Team	Pts.
1. East St. Louis Lincoln (6)	93
2. East St. Louis Senior (2)	88
3. Cahokia (2)	85
4. Belleville West	68
5. Edwardsville	64
6. Collinsville	50
7. Belleville Althoff	35
8. Wood River	34
9. Belleville East	16
10. Mascoutah	8

OTHERS WITH VOTES (in order): Triad, Alton, Highland.

CLASS A
(First place votes in parentheses)

Team	Pts.
1. MADISON (4)	49
2. Okawville (1)	46
3. Breese Mater Dei	22
4. Red Bud	18
*. (tie) Wesclin	16
Nashville	16
7. Gibault (Waterloo)	15
8. (tie) Bunker Hill	14
Waterloo (Sr.)	14
Lebanon	14

OTHERS WITH VOTES (in order): Freeburg, Marrissa, Lovejoy (Brooklyn), Assumption (ESL), VENICE, Carlyle.

The poll was taken before Althoff was whipped by Class A school Okawville and Triad edged Wood River Tuesday night.

Teams receiving Honorable Mention in this week's poll were Triad, Alton and Highland.

Coaches voting on the poll are Roger Touvenin of Mascoutah, Stu Weider of Triad, Gene Catalpa of Collinsville, Coy Nunn of East St. Louis Sr., Stan McAfoos of Alton, Don Otness of Belleville East, Bill Ohlendorf of Granite City North, Don Deterding of Granite City South, Bud Vallino fo Edwardsville and Al Foppe of Belleville Althoff.

North has unenviable task

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BREESE — The pairings for the annual Breese Mater Dei Christmas Tournament were released here yesterday, and Granite City North's Steelers, who won the tournament last season, will have the unenviable task of facing Okawville in the first round of the double-elimination meet.

North, which put together five of six games it won last season in order to storm to the Mater Dei championship, will face an Okawville team that most recently ran Gateway East Conference team Belleville Althoff into the ground Tuesday night.

Okawville finished third in the State Class A Tournament last season, beating Madison for the consolation honors in the Assembly Hall at the University of Illinois.

North's Steelers will face the Okawville Rockets at 10:30 a.m. on Friday, Dec. 26 in the tournament's second first-round game. The complete first round pairings are:

9 a.m.- Nashville vs. Highland

10:30 a.m.- Granite North vs. Okawville

1 p.m.- Sprtingfield Griffin vs. Breese Central

2:30 p.m. Chicago St. Gregory vs. Chatham Glenwood

4 p.m.- Thorton Fractional South vs. O'Fallon

6:30 p.m.- Waterloo vs. Newton

8 p.m.- Breese Mater Dei vs. East St. Louis Assumption

9:30 p.m.- Triad vs. Salem

Should North win its game against Okawville, the Steelers would next play at 1 p.m. Dec. 27 against the winner of the Nashville-Highland game. If North loses to the Rockets, it would face the Nashville-Highland loser.

Should North lose its first two games, it would be eliminated from further tournament play. If North should win its first game and lose its second, it would play again at 1 p.m. on Monday, Dec. 29.

The tournament championship game is set for 9 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 30. The third place game will be at 7 p.m., with conosolation third at 2:30 p.m. and consolation championship at 11 a.m. that day.

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Western Div.
Dilligas vs. Cliff & Co., 7 p.m.
Mexican Honorary Commission vs. Raiders, 8 p.m.
Spank's vs. Corral Liquor, 9 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 17
Northern
McGraw's Auto Body vs. C.D. Peters Construction Company, 7 p.m.
Clean Craft Cleaners vs. Sedlack's, 8 p.m.
Pizza Pit vs. Out of Bounders, 9 p.m.

THURSDAY, Dec. 18
Southern
The Pretenders vs. Sports Tap, 7 p.m.
Our Gang vs. Pantera's Pizza, 8 p.m.
Smokey Joe's vs. Jacobsmeyer's, 9 p.m.

MONDAY, Jan. 5
Western Div.
Mexican Honorary Commission vs. Buzz's, 7 p.m.
Spank's vs. Cliff and Company, 8 p.m.
Corral Liquor vs. Raiders, 9 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, Jan. 7
Northern
Clean Craft Cleaners vs. T.G. Womens, 7 p.m.
Pizza Pit vs. C .D. Peters Construction Compan, 8 p.m.
Out of Bounders vs. Sedlack's, 9 p.m.

THURSDAY, Jan. 8
Southern
The Pretenders vs. Sports Tap, 7 p.m.
Our Gang vs. Pantera's Pizza, 8 p.m.
Smokey Joe's vs. Jacobsmeyer's, 9 p.m.

Hockey

MONDAY, dec. 22
Co-Rec
Icebreakers vs. Granite City Merchants, 7:30 p.m.
GCAC vs. Besserman's, 8:30 p.m.
Bob and Don's Ingleside vs. Greers, 9:30 p.m.

School Wrestling

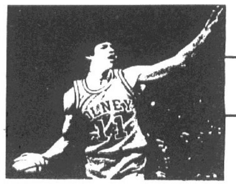
TODAY, Dec. 18
Bethalto-Civic Memorial at Granite City North, 7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY, Dec. 19
Granite City South at Francis Howell, 6:30 p.m.

SATURDAY, Dec. 20
Granite City South at Mount Vernon, 1 p.m.
Normandy, Mo. at Granite City South, 1 p.m.

MONDAY, Dec. 29
Granite City North and South in GC South Christmas Wrestling Tournament

TUESDAY, Dec. 30
Granite City North and South in GC South Christmas Wrestling Tournament



basketball

TODAY, Dec. 18
PREP
Madison freshmen at Granite City South, 6 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

PARK LEAGUES
Eastern Div.
76'ers vs. Huddelston Photography, 7:30 p.m. Grigsby
Ingleside vs. Hot Shots, 8:30 p.m. Grigsby

Church League
1st Assembly of God vs. Bethel Evangelical, 7:30 p.m. Coolidge
Nameoki Methodist vs. City Temple, 8:30 p.m. Coolidge

FRIDAY, Dec. 19
PREP
Gateway East
Granite City South at Edwardsville, 6:30 p.m. & 8 p.m.

Mississippi Valley
Roxana at Mascoutah, 6:30 & 8 p.m.

Other
Effingham St. Anthony at Madison, 6:30 & 8 p.m.
Collinsville at Granite City North, 6:30 & 8 p.m.
St. Paul Highland at Venice, 6:30 & 8 p.m.
Bethalto at Triad
Belleville West at Cahokia
East St. Louis at Waukegan West
Jerseyville at Calhoun
Okawville at Belleville East
East St. Louis Assumption at Valmeyer

COLLEGE
University of Illinois vs. Brigham Young in Volunteer Classic, University of Tennessee, Knoxville (Second game- Tennessee vs. Iona)
SIU-Edwardsville in Chicago State Tourney

SATURDAY, Dec. 14
PREP
Gateway East
Cahokia at Granite City South, 6:30 & 8 p.m.
Belleville Althoff at Granite City North, 6:30 & 8 p.m.

Others
Madison at St. Paul Highland, 6:30 & 8 p.m.
Alton at Quincy
Collinsville at Breese Mater Dei
Greenville at Triad
East St. Louis Asumption at Waterloo Gibault
Jerseyville at Bunker Hill
East St. Louis at Chicago Dunbar

COLLEGE
U of Illinois in Volunteer Classic
SIU-E in Chicago State Tourney
Morehead State University at SIU-Carbondale, 7:35 p.m.

Park Basketball

MONDAY, Dec. 15
Eastern
Jacobsmeyers Flyers 77, stooges 46 (Tom Mahl 22 pts.)
GC Businessmen 70, 76'ers 58 (Jerry Barnett 25, Mike Reilly 24)
Huddleston Photography 63, Ingleside 40 (Rick Atkinson 25, Jeff Tretter 13)

TUESDAY, Dec. 16
Eastern
GC Businessmen 67, Stooges 53 (Jerry Barnett 25)

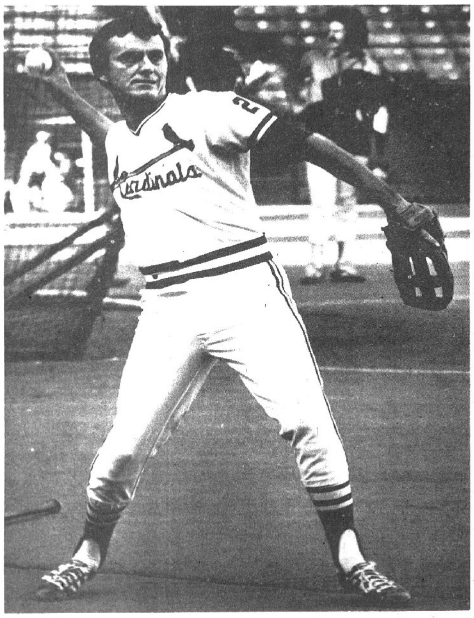
Northern
Terrel Agency 2, Polish Hall 0 (forfeit)
McDonald's 100, Sandy's 64 (Bruce Harper 24, Les Henry 23, John Corrie 20, Tim Luehmann 20)
Spanky's 106, Smokey Joe's 57 (Jerome Nelson 27, Thurmon Ferree 27)

Southern
Ramblin' Rogues 88, Brigada 63 (Ed WHitecotton 27, Kenny Stanley 21)
Sandy's 79, Polish Hall 72 (Dale Page 23, Tom Schmidt 32)
Saints 64, Ocho's 57 (Jim Edmunson 24)

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 17
Southern
Saints 61, McDonald's 57 (Larry Pirtle 26)

Church Blue
Communtiy Heights 43, Bethel Evangelical 41
City Temple 71, Third Baptist 13 (Dave Wood-Mike Bellinger 15)

THURSDAY, Dec. 11
Northern
76'ers 76, Ingleside 35 (Mike Reilly 20)
Stooges 65, Hot Shots 40 (Bob Schnefke 18)



SO LONG, MAXIE. Granite City's own Dall Maxvill, first base coach the last two seasons and former shortstop for the St. Louis Cardinals, was fired Monday by Cardinals manager-general manager Whitey Herzog, who also relaesed third base coach Jack Krol. Herzog however, said that Maxvill will remain within the Cardinals organization, but did not specify exactly what his job would involve. A special feature on 'Maxie' will appear next week in the Press-Record. *(Press-Record file photo)*

Trojans

(Continued from page 23)

Bradley is 2-5 on the season, and Bohnenstiehl is still singing the blues a little about losing three six-foot-plus players whose families moved from his community. "Two were starters and one was a top sub," he said. "It's pretty hard to when you lose that many players who figured in your plans."

Bradley's losses were to Morgan POark, St. Laurence, Rich Central, Danville Senior amd Kanakee Eastridge. Its wins were over Chicago DuSable and Bishop McNamara.

"We start 6-5, 6-4, 6-2, 6-2 and 6-p1," said Bohnenstiehl, "But we're not very quick. We won't try and run with Madison. We look for the good shot. But if we have the break, we'll take it."

Bohnenstiehl said he likes making the trip to Centralia for the tournament. "It's good for the kids to see a different style of play and different officiating from what we see up north," he said. "I think northern ball may be a little more aggressive, partly because the officials let us get away with a little more."

In last year's Centralia meet, Bradley defeated Belleville West and lost to Centralia. Last season, Madison was entered in the Columbia-Freeburg Christmas Tournament and won it easily, hardly being challenged in the process.

Besides Madison, Benton High is the only other Class A (small school) entered in the tournament — and the Rangers just dropped below the 750 enrollment cutoff for the first time last season. Benton's enrollment this school year is 740.

Should Madison win its first-round game, it will face the winner of the Belleville West-Arlington Heights game at 1:15 p.m. on Tuesday, Dec. 30. If they lose to Bradley Bourbannais, the Trojans will face the West-Arlington Heights loser at 9 a.m. Tuesday.

The consolation championship willbe Dec. 31 at 6 p.m., with the third place game following at 7:30 p.m. The tournament championship game will be played at 9:15 p.m.

SIU-E grapplers lose

SPRINGFIELD, MO. — The Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville wrestling squad suffered an upset at the hands of Southwest Missouri State University Thursday night at Springfield, Mo., losing by a 25-21 score. Although two Cougars won by falls and three others won, a forfeit and numerous ailments caused the downfall.

Missing from the Cougars were All-American Tim Ervin, who is out with an ankle injury, and Steve Koch, who has suffered a muscle spasm in the upper back. Brian Blumthal was out with the flu, and Paul Preissing has left school for personal reasons.

All American Tom Reed scored a fall against Ken Stearns of Southwest in 3:15 in the 118-pound event. But then a forfeit by the Cougars at the 126-pound class deadlocked the team score at 6-6.

Freshman Dan McGinnis, who is becoming a dual meet star for the Cougars, gave his team a new six-point lead by pinning Southwest Missouri's Bret Roberts in :55. That victory put McGinnis at 2-0 for the year in dual meets.

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all alone out in far-away San Diego. Dave Garcia, the manager of the Cleveland Indians, is Fernandez's cousin and lives in San Diego. "He's really my second-cousin," David said. "But I've always called him Uncle Dave."

So the honors continue to flow in for David Fernandez. "Whether or not he goes, it's still a nice honor for him," said his high school coach, Gene Baker. "Knowing that he was the only high school player from the St. Louis area picked is something. He was one of the few American high school players picked. Most of the others, I think, were Canadiens."

Baker thinks Fernandez will make a wise decision. "He has his priorities," said Baker. "And college is at the top. He's a very mature young man. His priorities seem to be lying in education at this time.

"He's dealt with all the noteriety the last four years very well," Baker said. "He hasn't let it go to his head. I think a lot of the decision will have to do with the philosophy of the professional coach as to using American player, especially American high school players."

Keough honored

ST. LOUIS — St. Louis University soccer Coach Harry Keough has been selected as the Mid-West Soccer Coach of the Year, it was announced today by the National Association of Soccer Coaches.

Tickets remain on sale

EDWARDSVILLE — Two hundred and seventy-three advance tickets for the Saturday, Jan. 3 basketball game at Champaign between Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville and the Fighting Illini of the University of Illinois have been made available at SIUE, it has been announced.

There are still 253 of the U of I Assembly Hall reserved seats available: 130 in Section C at $4.50 each and 123 in Section B at $5 each. Tipoff time for the game is 3 p.m.

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South yule band concert tonight

Granite City High School South's concert band under the direction of Joseph E. Owens will perform its Christmas concert in South's auditorium at 8 tonight.

Members of the band will be in formal attire.

Selections to be performed are: March of Christianity, the Unfinished Symphony, Greensleeves, Nutcracker Suite, Waltz of the Flowers, Christmas Fantasy, 'Twas the Night Before Christmas narrated by Mary Pennell, Sleigh Ride, Officer of the Day, I'll See You Again, and Them Basses.

The public is being invited to attend the concert.

CREDIT CARDS STOLEN

Casandra and Stanley Gray, 405 W. Third St., Madison, discovered at 10:25 p.m. Sunday their residence had been burglarized. Among the items taken were three credit cards, some jewelry and an undetermined amount of money.

Swimming for trainable pupils

As administrative agency for Quad-City Special Education Region One, the Granite City School Board on Tuesday night authorized reinstating swimming as a part of the trainable physical education program.

The last time swimming was a part of the special education physical education program was when Central School was in existence. At this time, only the trainable will be eligible, due to federal money allocations.

Funding will be through the Illinois Exstraordinary Care Program and will not require local school funds.

"We have studied the possibilities and would like to offer the program to our trainable handicapped boys and girls at Wilson and Coolidge," Leigh Heller, Granite City schools' physical education coordinator, said.

"Our purpose is to offer students a continuing experience during the intermedite and junior high years, to have the student 'drown proof" and ready for recreational swimming by the time the high school class is reached.

"This is contradictory to the theory of most swimming instructors; however, they are not dealing with handicapped students.

"We feel the trainable swim program should begin with students of the intermediate level, aged nine and over. The physical growth and development of this age child should allow each to be able to stand in shallow water and maintain the head out of water.

If a one to one student-instructor ratio could be guaranteed, swimming instruction for primary age trainable might be feasible; unfortunately, this probably is not reality.

"Miss Joanne Higgins, our adapted physical education teacher, also feels that the primary-age child has a more difficult time differentiating than the intermediate age student. Their judgment about the depth of water and their own abilities may not be reliable.

"We will use the local YMCA pool Monday through Friday, beginning Feb. 2 and ending Feb. 27. The pool is available from 1:30 through 2:15 p.m.

"Some bus routes have had to be altered, but the bus company can accommodate all of the transportation requests.

"The staff will assist with locker room procedures and serve as swim instructors, on the deck and in the water, under the direction of Mrs. Augusta Berkhead. Overall cost will be $760."

DESIGN A PATCH

Girl Scouts, Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts; plus the Tri-Cities Chamber of Commerce will again conduct a "Stash-the-Trash" program on Saturday, April 25. A special feature this year is that the youth groups will have a chance to custom design a patch for the event. The patch must be no larger than three inches in diameter. The deadline for entering will be Friday, Jan. 30.

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Food stamps will increase

Public Aid Director Jeffrey C. Miller is reminding Illinoisans that food stamp allotments will be increased Jan. 1, 1981, for households participating in the stamp program. The adjustment reflects rising food prices.

The monthly income and coupon allotment amounts are based on the U.S. Agriculture Department Thrifty Food Plan. The amount of the increase will depend on the size and income of the household:

One person, $316 maximum monthly income, $70 maximum coupon allotment.

Two, $418 and $128.
Three, $520 nd $183.
Four, $621 and $233.
Five, $723 and $277.
Six, $825 and $332.
Seven, $926 and $367.
Eight, $1,028 income, $419 coupons.

Households with more than eight members can receive a $53 allotment adjustment and a $102 income adjustment for each person added.

In addition to the changes in coupon allotment levels, the standard deduction for all households will be increased to $85 and dependent care and excess shelter costs will be allowed up to $115.

Additiona information about the food stamp program is available at all public aid offices or by calling the toll-free Food Stamp Hotline: 800-972-4608.

Special education programs planned

Ratifying actions of the Quad-City special education board, the Granite City Board of Education has approved establishing a Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville extension course for the winter, spring and summer quarters at a cost not to exceed $8,980. The cost is to be shared by participating districts, based on their use.

Also approved was the scheduling of speech and language workshops. Honorarium and travel expenses will be paid from funds received under the 94-142 program, it was noted.

Esther Vasileff was employed at $100 a day, not to exceed 20 days, for psychological services and re-evaluations.

Janitorial service at the special education office will be provided by AAA Maintenance for $64 a month.

In Granite City school district business, it was reported to the board that $97,000 has been received in payments under Public Lawe 874, the federal school impact aid program, against an entitlement of $108,000 from last year's claim.

The new year's claim is to be submitted by Jan. 12.

Bills were approved for the past month, and it was decided to hold the next month's meetings on Jan. 13 and Jan. 20. At the Jan. 13 session, the administration will review school building fund revenues and expenditures projected for the next five years, and will discuss alternatives for meeting such financial needs.

Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve holidays for 12-month school employees were changed to Dec. 26 and Jan. 2 to permit two four-day holidays.

A report by School Treasurer George Moore showed Oct. 31 cash balances of $171,355 in education, $34,907 transportation, $28,155 joint agreement, $16,771 educational savings, $5,602 retirement fund, $5,004 building fund, $2,886 working cash and $1, bond and interest fund.

Board Member David Partney noted that an internal monthly audit showed some funds as having a deficit and no appropriation, although appropriations had been voted by the board. Board Member Monroe Worthen, an accountant in private life, said the reports differ from some budget documents in the way that items are categorized but that this poses no problem. Curtis R. McDaniel, school business official, said an analysis will be made of the differing statistical approaches.

Partney also discussed fuel oil costs, and Assistant Supt. Frank Kraus said such costs are affected by federal regulations set to expire Sept. 1, 1981.

Students in fifth and sixth grades will be permitted to voluntarily participate in an Amvets Post 51 and Auxiliary poster and essey contest based on the theme, "Why, where and when do I salute the American flag?"

CHRISTMAS PARTY OF PINOCHLE CLUB

The Monday Afternoon Pinochle Club met during the weekend for its Christmas party. Mrs. Leona Parente entertained at her home, 1621 Lindell Blvd., where there were extensive holiday decorations.

A luncheon was served and gifts were exchanged. Pinochle was played and winners were Catherine Moser, a guest, and Marvel Clover, Theresa Walkenbach and the hostess. Also present were Grace Hennrich, Margaret Richardson, Myrtle Bruns and Marie Perry. The latter will be the next hostess.

MAINTENANCE DUTY FOR BRIAN ARNOLD

Brian Joseph Arnold, son of Mrs. Judith Arnold, of 225 W. Pontoon Road, has enlisted in the Air Force, according to Staff Sgt. Clark E. Jarrett.

Upon graduation from six weeks of basic military training, he will receive training as a specialist in airlift and bombardment aircraft maintenance. He is a 1980 graduate of Granite City High School South.

Ethnic banquet at GCHS South

The seventh annual ethnic banquet at Granite City High School South was held Sunday evening. Mrs. Wendy Kambarian and Miss Helen Veloff of the English faculty were in charge of arrangements.

Senior students provided decorations for tables where guests were seated, as well as the buffet table from which Italian, Macedonian, Greek, Hungarian, Russian, Turkish, Filipino, Korean, and Mexican foods were served.

Following the dinner, Mike Hassler and his band entertained with polkas and Christmas music.

Students and teachers also enjoyed Greek and Macedonian dances.

Michelle Valencia and Ron Grim gave a demonstration of Mexican dances.

The evening concluded with the breaking of a pinata filled with candy.

In addition to the 60 students who attended were Miss Helen Kuenstler, English department chairman, and Mrs. Muriel Kratz, instructor of a class in English as a second language.

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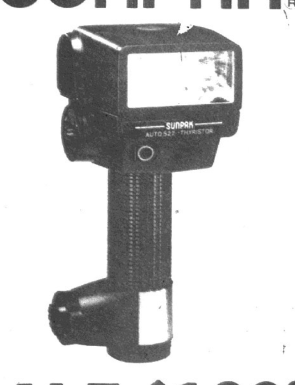

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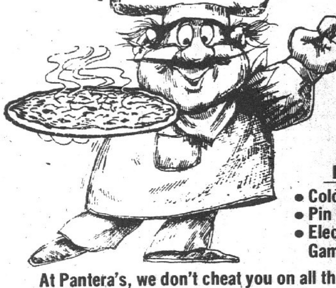
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THANKS FROM THE CITY. Members of the Cloverview Garden Club gather in front of the Salvation Army's Christmas tree Tuesday morning as Mrs. Eldon Meikamp; front row second from left, president of the club, is presented a certificate of appreciation from Mayor Paul Schuler. The tree was donated to the city by Mr. and Mr. Meikamp, but was too large for the city hall so the city offered the tree for use by the Salvation Army. The 45-foot tree was topped and placed inside the Army's community center. Also pictured are, front row from left: Mrs. Charles Gandorla, Mrs. Meikamp, Mayor Schuler, and Capt. Barbar Salsbury representing the Salvation Army. In the back row from left, are: Mrs. William Miller, Mrs. Clarence Etheridge, Mrs. Kenneth Brokaw, Mrs. John Jenkins and Granite City Township Assessor Von Dee Cruse.

(Press-Record Photo)

Receives certificate for donating tree

Mrs. Eldon Meikamp, president of the Cloverview Garden Club, received a certificate of appreciation Tuesday morning from Mayor Paul Schuler for having donated a 45-foot tree to the city to be used at the city hall for the city's Christmas tree.

The tree, cut from the yard of Mr. and Mrs. Meikamp, was found to be too large for the city hall lobby so the city offered the tree to the Salvation Army for its community center.

The tree was topped and placed in the center and has been decorated for the Christmas season.

The donation of the tree commemorates the 25th anniversary of the garden club.

The club will be participating in the "Plant Anniversary Trees" project sponsored by the National Council of State Garden Clubs and the U.S. Forest Service. The project is on the 75th anniversary of the conservation movement in the country.

Since more trees are being harvested than replanted, each garden club member has been asked to plant one or more trees to hlep replace the trees used during the Christmas season.

Collect information on minority job applicants

A trial effort is underway by five local federal agencies to collect and exchange information to identify qualified minority applicants, in categories of employment in which they are underrepresented, for the purpose of making them aware of job opportunities.

Because of the federal agencies hiring freeze, a limited number of vacancies can currently be filled by outside candidates. However, while the freeze restricts hiring, this program will provide a clearing house for applicants.

Should any of the five agencies have a vacancy applicants registered with the clearing house would be notified when and where to file applications and be provided the same opportunity as all other applicants for the position.

The federal agencies involved in the program are the U.S. Army Troop Support and Aviation Material Readiness Command, Aviation Research and Development Command and Corps of Engineers; Equal Employment Opportunity Commission and the Office of Personnel Management.

To enroll in the clearinghouse program, applicants are required to submit a federal Equal Opportunity Recruitment Program (FEORP) file card. The FEORP file card is the basis for collecting information concernng the applicants qualifications.

Lisa Garcia Fensterman, Hispanic employment program manager for the Equal Employment Opportunity Commission, will be available on Monday, Dec. 22 from 1-3 p.m. at the Mexican Honorary Commission Hall, 1801 Spruce St., Granite City, to accept FEORP cards from any interested individuals.

For persons unable to attend the above session, appointments may be made to meet at another time by calling at EEOC between 7 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. on 425-5571.

Christmas play this Saturday

A Christmas play, "The Star Still Shines" will be presented by the youth group of the Bethel Chapel Pentecostal Church, 25th and Ohio streets, at 7:30 p.m. Saturday.

Poems and songs will be given by the children of the church at the 11 a.m. Sunday service.

The Rev. Clifton Galiher is the pastor.

The public is welcome at both services.

Explorer candy sale

Members of Explorer Post 10-4, sponsored by Madison Police Unit 110 BP&PA, will hold their annual Christmas candy sale during the weekend and the first part of next week.

The Explorers, who live in various parts of the Quad-Cities area, will be selling milk chocolate bars for $1 each.

The wrapper of the candy bar is good for a free order of McDonald's French fries.

Proceeds from the candy sale will be used to help purchase new uniform jackets and for area conference expenses.

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Two burned in caboose fire

The Venice fire department was called to the Illinois Terminal Railroad yards where a caboose had caught fire at 10:40 p.m. Monday and two railroad men were burned and taken to a St. Louis hospital.

The caboose was totally destroyed and the Madison fire department was called for assistance.

Names of the men injured were not released by the railroad.

A fire department spokesman said the two men had pulled a full oil truck next to the caboose and were apparently in the process of filling the fuel oil reservoir, for the stove in the caboose, when the fire started.

Exactly how the fire started is unknown.

One of the railroad men allegedly was taken to the St. Louis burn clinic with severe burns.

The firemen were at the scene until 1:30 a.m. Tuesday.

Fire, water and smoke did heavy damage to the home of Larry Brewington, 1238 Robin St., Venice, between 12:35 p.m. and 2:30 p.m. Monday.

A spokesman for the Venice fire department said they believe that an extension cord that was under a carpet may have shorted and caused the fire.

The Madison fire department was called to assist.

MANOOGAN ELECTED BY STUDENT GROUP

Don Manoogian, 3233 Fehling Road, Granite City, is reception treasurer of AIESEC in the School of Business and Public Administration at Washington University. AIESEC is an international student organization at Washington University. AIESEC is an international student organization which provides a forum for the professional level study of international trade.

A junior, he is in the School of Business at Washington U., which has more than 8,000 graduate and undegraduate students from all 50 states and 77 foreign countries. The 1,300 full-time faculty are in nine schools, medicine, engineering, business, law, architecture, fine arts, social work, dentisry and continuing education, as well as the College of arts and Sciences.

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PVT. KEVIN WATTS COMPLETES TRAINING

Marine Pvt. Kevin C. Watts, son of Charlie L. Watts of 609 Salveter St., Venice, has completed 11-week recruit traning at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S.C.

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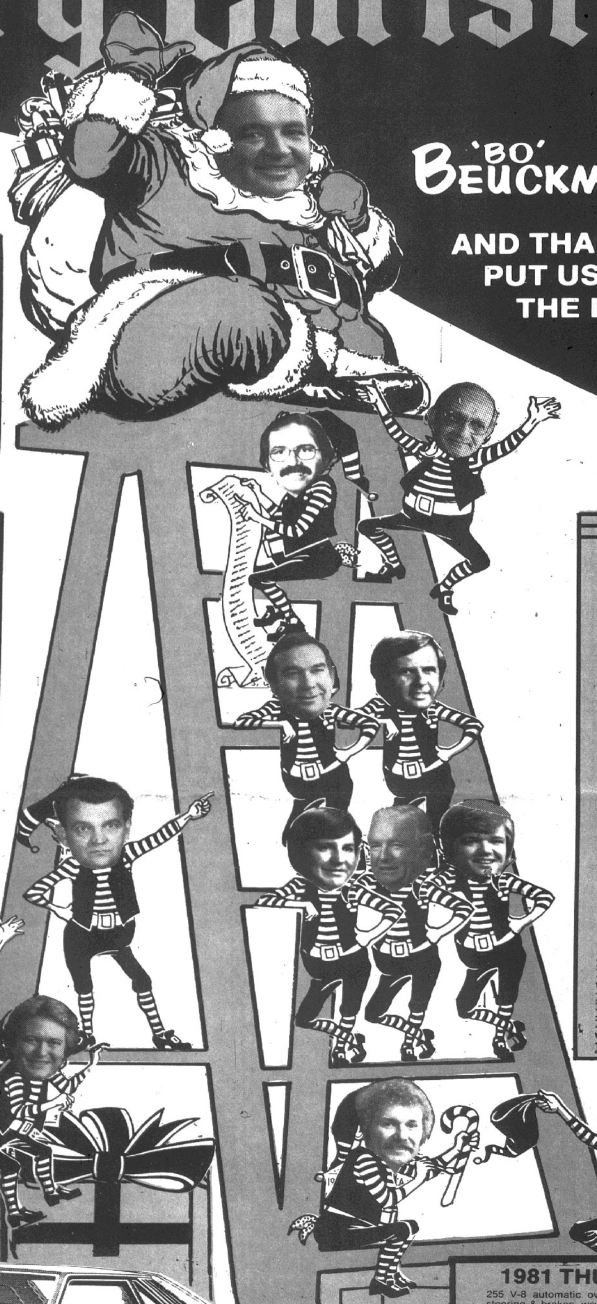

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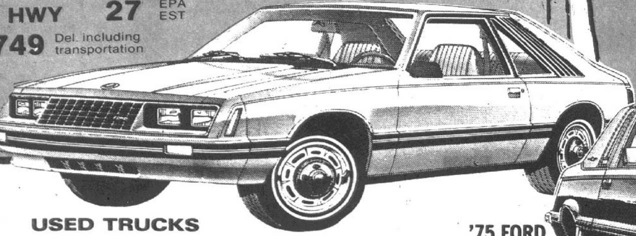

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COMMERCIAL BUILDING IN ALTON - suitable for car wash; building size 63' x 24' on 67' x 91' lot. Building has 4 bays with office and storage area.

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NEW LISTING - Ideal starter home with 2 bedrooms, family room possible in basement, and fenced yard. Priced in low $20's.

POSSIBLE LOAN ASSUMPTION - 3 bedroom brick ranch in excellent condition. Full basement, central air, 2 baths, carport, and large garage in good location. Priced in upper $50's.

LOVE AT FIRST SIGHT - When you see this attractive 3 bedroom ranch in excellent condition with central air and finished basement. Neat, clean and ready for immediate occupancy.

HARD TO PLEASE? - You need to see this beautiful 5 year old brick ranch in tip-top shape. Has 3 bedrooms, large kitchen with lots of built-ins, wood-burning fireplace, C-A, and 1 car attached garage. Priced to sell.

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Homes for Sale 1

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YOUR AFFORDABLE DREAM - 3 BR frame ranch, full bsement, 1½ car garage, large lot for $24,900.

BEAT THE HIGH INTEREST RATE ON THE FOLLOWING OWNER FINANCED PROPERTIES:

10 Room Duplex, 2 car garage, separate utilities, total price $40,500 - $10,000 down, $350 per mo., 10 percent interest.

3 BR Frame on 3½ acres, $30,000 - $5,000 down, $250 per mo., 11 percent interest.

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6 Acres $36,000. Owner will finance. Call For Details!

Handy-Man Special On The Lake $11,900 on this 2 story, 2 BR home, $3,000 down, $[illegible]00 per mo., 11 percent interest.

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3104 PARKVIEW
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GRANITE CITY

HAVE A CHRISTMAS CHEER around the bar which stays in this brick ranch with full basement. GRB5

PERFECT PARTY PLACE, open living enhanced by the cathedral ceiling and large floor to ceiling windows. GRA7

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COLLINSVILLE-EDWARDSVILLE AREA

FESTIVE FAMILY FOREMAN, Iron Mountain subdivision combines the country air and city convenience. GLF9

HOLIDAY IN THE COUNTRY, 7½ acres plus brick and stone executive home. Everything one could want for lush country living. EP1

ENTERTAINING AREA PLUS, corner brick and frame ranch, brand new and ready for your festive decorations. TB5

BAKE COOKIES and fill this home with inviting smells, lots of cabinets to hold all goodies. TO5

WOOD-BURNING FIREPLACE makes this split-foyer warm and toasty for a Holiday feeling. TO6

COUNTRY COZY, 2-story charm on 4½ acres, bring the family home together around the tree. Reduced to $93,500. TR9

ROOM TO ROMP WITH SANTA'S DEER on 2 tree filled rolling acres. This stucco, 3 bedroom ranch with full, partially finished basement. Low $50's. CR5

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FEEL THE WARMTH OF THIS lovely executive ranch on over-sized level, landscaped lot. Features excellent floor plan, 3 bedrooms, full basement. Beautiful family room with wood-burning fireplace. GLC8

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2100 SQ. FT. brick-foyer, Iron Mountain subdivision. GLM 6

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6.25 ACRES: St. Clair Co. R No. 203.

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FOR LEASE: 15,000 sq. ft. store. Gaslight Plaza Center.

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THREE BEDROOM on five acres near Hamel. Appraised by an independent appraiser at $64,000. Your old house could be the down payment. Call Investment Realty Service, 877-7507. 1 11 13tf

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BY OWNER: Three bedrooms, 2 baths, kitchen, living room, partially finished basement, attached garage, brick, $46,000, 100x136 ft. lot, 10½ percent loan can be assumed. 25 Snowbird Lane. Call for appointment, 931-0931. 1 1 8

TWO NEWER full brick fourplexes, 1½ baths, 2 bedroom town house sesign with divided basements. Ideal condos later. Irreplacable at $99,900 each. Buy one or both. Good rents. Try 15 percent down and 12 percent interest. Owner financed. This type investor liquidation deal is very scarce. Do not wait! John Sobol Realty, 4541-7431. 1 1 8

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4 bedrooms, family room, basement, central air, new carpet, 3 lots fenced in. Low $40's.

21XX OHIO
Must be sold to settle estate. Make an offer. Three bedroom home and garage on 3 lots.

$2000 DOWN
and assume loan of $10,900 on 3 bedroom, 2 car garage on large corner lot in Addieville, Ill., 45 miles from Granite.

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2577 STRATFORD LANE: $8,000 down to qualified buyer will move you into this four bedroom brick with full basement. Built-in oven and range, 2 baths, covered patio. Also lease with option or deferred closing, $54,900. Call for details. Walt Schlemer Realty I, 344-7900. 1 12 18

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Acreage and Lots 2

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Commercial for Sale 3

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COMMERCIAL BUILDING for sale or lease by owner. Six (6) year old 5,000 square foot (50'x100') single-story building in very good condition; ideal design for either an office or store and situated in downtown Granite City. Paved off-street parking for 25 cars. For information or appointment to inspect call Mr. Theis, (618) 931-6500. 3 12 18

GOOD GOING restaurant business. Call 876-8206. 3 12 18

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Mobile Home for Sale 5

14x60 TWO BEDROOMS, immaculate condition, central air, porch and new vinyl skirting, washer and dryer. Exceptional park location. Call 931-5191. 5 11 24tf

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Houses for Rent 6

R No. 1: 3-bedroom ranch style home on small acreage, many extras, may consider selling contract for deed. Call 1-654-9888 ask for Sue. Holzinger Real Estate. 6 11 13tf

4-ROOM HOUSE: Madison area. Call 451-1286 after 5 p.m. 6 11 20

THREE BEDROOM: North Granite, $325 month. Deposit and references. Call 876-1450. 6 12 26

3-BEDROOMS: Living,dining, kitchen, carport, central heat. 2920 Willow. $325 month plus deposit. Call 877-2944. 6 11 24tf

2-STORY: Four bedroom, built-in kitchen. 2110 Cleveland. $325 month plus surety deposit. Call Granite City Realty. Call 876-2524. 6 11 24tf

HOUSE FOR rent. Call 876-0246. 6 12 8tf

$550 PER MONTH, $500 deposit. 3-bedroom, family room, living room, three full baths, fireplace, 2-car garage, full basement. Glenwood Estates, Glen Carbon. Call 797-0585 after 4 p.m. 931-6383. 6 12 29

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SMALL HOUSE for rent. Ideal for senior citizens. Madison area, $90 month. Call 451-7523. 6 12 18

FOUR ROOMS, small, $150. Call 931-2344. 6 12 22

TWO BEDROOM house, newly remodeled. Call 876-5431. 6 12 18

ONE BEDROOM: Immediate possession. $200, first and last in advance. Investment Realty Service, 877-7507. 6 12 15tf

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R No. 6: Superb 3 to 4 bedroom home with family room, fireplace, formal dining and much more.Call 1-654-9888 and ask for Sue. Holzinger Real Estate. 6 11 13tf

TWO BEDROOMS, living-dining, kitchen, bath, full basement, central air. Available Dec. 5. $225 first and last month rent. Call 876-6025. 6 11 27

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THREE ROOM House with basement and garage. $175 rent, $100 security. Abrams Realty 1, 877-1900. 6 12 22

FIVE ROOMS, 2 bedrooms and sunporch, park district. Stove and refrigerator, $325 month, $200 deposit. One year lease, no pets. Call 1-398-0087. 6 12 29

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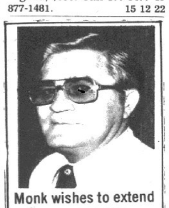

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99 PIANOS, organs, January clearance for Christmas. Open Sundays. Save (before increase). New pianos, 39 styles priced under $1,500, spinets $795-$1,295, consoles $1,088, deluxe $1,495-$1,795. Used spinets from $519, upright $295, KimBall, Conn organs free lamp special $995-$4,995. Bierman's Warehouse, 316 College, Sparta, call 443-2982. 21 1 2

JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT B-B-Q grills, $20. Call 876-9149 after 4 p.m. 21 1 7

FOOSBALL TABLE, 2 years old, blue top. Million dollar game. Good condition. Call 931-6025. 21-12 18

KITCHEN CABINETS, L-shaped, 16 ft. wall, 11 ft. base counter, sink faucet, refrigerator and range. After 6:00, 931-0919. 21 12 18

FOR SALE: Conn electric, full size, organ with bench. "Loaded." Double keyboard, chords, accompaniment instruments, foot notes, built-in drummer with different beats, speeds and volume control. A steal at $695, like new. Call 876-9966. 2542 Missouri, rear. Call after 6 p.m. 21 12 18

HAND MADE sock doll clowns, 21" whimsical character. Only $15. Call 451-8048. 21 12 18

ZENITH B&W 21", old, $15. Call 451-1471. 21 12 18

LIKE NEW, electric guitar, case and Gibson amp, used 2 months. Reasonable. Call 797-6919. 21 12 18

REMEMBER LAST summer's stifling heat? 14,000 BTU air conditioner, 110, $65, $70 delivered locally. Call 876-2531. 21 12 18

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CROCHETED AFGHANS, great for Christmas. Different sizes and colors. Call 931-1384. 21 12 18

JUNK CARS bought. Highest prices paid. Call 931-3051. 21 2 5

5-PC. BLACK pearl drum set with Zildjian floor cymbal and high hat, great deal, very good condition, $375. Call 931-0168. 21 12 18

LADIES London Fog coat, size 14, like new. Sofa, new phone dial-a-mate. Call after 3:00, 452-0657. 21 12 18

NEW COLOR TVs and video recorders, stereos, audio, and appliances. Rent to own. No credit hassle, no down payment, no repair costs. All rental applied to ownership. A good way to get your credit started. Bert's Audio-TV-CB-Auto Sound, 1910 Delmar. Call 877-7600. 21 12 18

SHOTGUN, Savage-Stevens, .410 double, like new. Excellent Christmas gift, $160. Call 451-7650 after 5 p.m. 21 12 18

BEAUTIFUL SILK flower arrangements for brides, bridesmaids and your complete wedding. Many designs to choose from. Call Wanda 876-5820. 21 12 22

BEAUTIFUL LATE Model 25" color console, excellent condition, no scratches, $150, nice. Call 345-9418. 21 12 29

LATE MODEL color portable, sharp, clear picture. Will guarantee, $150. Call today, it's nice, 345-9418. 21 12 29

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SNOW TIRES, H78x15, 50 percent tread, $45; and L78x15, used one season, $85. Both mounted on Dodge wheels. Call 876-1674. 21 12 24

COLT .45, Combat Commander, Remington slide, S&W steel rear sight blades, Pachmayer signature grips, $300. Call 876-8902. 21 12 22

DOG HOUSE, built, insulated and painted, any size, ready to go! Call 876-2423. 21 12 18

DINETTES, ETC. Christmas sale. Large selection of quality wood chairs. Over 30 styles to choose from. $20 and up. Unfinished mates chairs, $25. Take Hwy. 111 to Pag Rd. Call 1-656-7731. 21 1 1

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SEVERAL SETS ice cream tables and chairs, $65 per set. Commercial meat slicer, $265. Call 452-2782. 21 12 18

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30 GAL. AQUARIUM, all accessories. Electric organ, also child's electric organ with bench. Call 877-3259. 21 12 22

318 DODGE ENGINE. Perfect condition. Will install. Call 797-6376. 21 12 24

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GAS SPACE heater, Oakland, 70,000 input. Natural gas. Good condition. Call 451-6286. 21 12 18

'68 CHEVY CAPRICE for parts. All or part. Call 797-6376. 21 1$2 22

MAYTAG GAS dryer, good condition, $80. Early American couch, excellent condition, $85. Base CB radio with antenna and cable, Realistic Navaho, like new, $75. Call 931-3690 after 4 p.m. 21 12 18

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OFFICE DESK: In very good condition. 2½x5-ft. top. Mahogany finish. $100.00
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ELECTRONIC tank game, stands 5 ft. tall. Came out of arcade, $250. Call 931-3486. 21 12 22

UPHOLSTERY CLEANING: Couch and chair, $28. Call 797-6879. 21 10 6tf

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'73 FORD RANGER pickup. Needs work. Make offer. Call 797-6376. 21 12 22

ATARI TV game. Still in box, $130. Extra cartridges, $15. Ping pong table, $25. Call 931-4131. 21 12 18

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LADY'S 14K white gold wedding set, size 5½, never worn. Appraised value, $575. Will sell for $475. Have papers to verify appraisal. Call 931-0584. 21 12 22

AMPLIFIER, Ampeg, VT-22, 300 watt. Two 12" speakers, 75 watt RMS, $400. Call 931-2579. 21 12 22

32 CANADA GEESE decoys, $90 for all. Call 931-2328. 21 12 18

PERFECT CHRISTMAS present. Hammond organ, model 124, 1½ years, played approximately 5 hours, same as new. Full double keyboard, auto base and rythym. Sacrifice $1,480. Call 877-5691 after 6 p.m. 21 12 22

FIREWOOD, large pickup load, $45. Rallye wheel for ½-ton Chevrolet pickup, $20. Call 931-4281. 21 12 18

CLARION PE683A AM-FM cassette car stereo. Kraco equalizer booster. Jensen coaxial speakers, $150. Refrigerator. Call 877-5585. 21 12 18

TWO WHEEL utility trailer, 4x9 ft. New barbed wire, 4 full rolls. New 12-volt battery. Call 876-3895. 21 12 18

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THOUSANDS OF items in used furniture, appliances and TV's. Johnston Used Furniture and Appliances, 1335 Edwardsville Rd., Granite City, Ill. Call 452-7153. 21 12 29

COMMERCIAL 4-FT. display case, glass top, wood base with four drawers, $75; 3-tier metal display rack, ideal for shoes or magazines, $35. Call 877-2186 after 5 p.m. 21 12 29

BEAUTIFUL 25" COLOR console for only, $125; also portables. All TV's guaranteed, B & B TV, 9500 Collinsville Rd., next to Sav-Mart. Call 344-5656. 21 1 1

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'80 ARTICAT El Tiger, 500cc snowmobile. Fastest around. Call 345-4053. 21 12 18

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302 FORD ENGINE, runs good, $115. Beer can collection, $35. Flat bed trailer, $50. Call 877-3893. 21 12 22

TORO SNOW PUP snow blower and ladies 3-wheel bike. Call 876-0850. 21 12 18

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Rummage Sale 22

RUMMAGE SALE: 2138 Benton, rear house, Friday, 19, from 9 to 5. Children's clothes, toys and miscellaneous. 22 12 18

RUMMAGE SALE: 4908 Maryville Road. Thursday and Friday, 10 to 5. 22 12 18

LOTS OF miscellaneous. Friday, 9 to 3 p.m. 110 Wilson Park Lane. 22 12 18

THURS. & FRI., 9 to 6. 2126 Benton, basement. A little of everything. Furnace pipes, too. 22 12 18

BASEMENT SALE: Both new and used items. Clothing, household items, odds and ends. Fashion 220 cosmetics, 20 percent off on all products on hand. All jewelry, $2 to $6. Lots of handmade stuffed toys. Finish your Christmas shopping here! 2432 Center. Friday and Saturday, 9 to 2. 22 12 18

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Misc. Wanted 23

WANTED: Used furniture and appliances. No junk please. 1335 Edwardsville Rd. Call 452-7153. 23 12 29

ANTIQUES WANTED: Furniture, glass, anything old. Call 876-0720. 23 12 22

WANTED TO BUY: Padlers stock. Call 931-6352. 23 12 24

TV'S WANTED, not working, must have channel 30. Call 451-6541. 23 12 29

FILL WANTED: Dump your fill free. No big concrete. After 5 p.m. call 877-0171. 23 12 18

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WANTED: Guns, any size or condition. Call 797-6376. 23 12 22

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WANTED TO BUY: Harliquin, numbers 390 and up. Present or Romances. Also, Western paperbacks. Will pay cash or trade other books. Call 876-3265. 23 12 18

WANTED: Alto saxophone. Write P.O. Box 92, Granite City, Ill. 23 12 18

WANTED: Used air conditioners, refrigerators, freezers and furnaces. Free pickup. Call 931-5667 or 876-7061. 23 12 22

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Help Wanted 24

SALES SERVICE: Experience in carton field needed, $10,000-$12,000. Fee paid. Granite City Private Employment Agency, 2023 Edison. Call 877-4640. 24 12 18

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Help Wanted 24

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LOST: All black male cat. Killarney Drive. Two red collars. "Come home Diablo." Reward! Call 452-7395. 28 12 22

LOST: Beagle, brown and white, vicinity 2300 block Edison. Reward! Call 877-2517. 28 12 18

LOST: Small, white, male puppy. Vicinity of Faith and Marshall. Call 451-1958. 28 12 22

LOST: Missing from 2426 Ohio since Dec. 7. Silver gray Peekapoo, with long black tail and big bown eyes. Weighs about 12 pounds. Clipped. Belongs to elderly lady and she's grieving herself sick. Please call 877-0360. Reward! 28 12 22

REWARD! White Peekapoo. Maryville School area. Call 931-4684. 28 12 18

LOST: Gray tiger stripped cat, calico cat and black and white cat. All wearing red collars and flea collars. Please call 877-2543. Reward! 28 12 22

LOST: Male dog, answers to "Duke," brown and tan. Reward! Call 877-0060. 2655 Benton. 28 12 18

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PART GERMAN Shepherd and Poodle pups, $35. Call 271-4687. 29 12 24

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AKC POODLE puppies, black males, with shots. Call 452-3047. 29 12 18

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PUBLIC AUCTION: For Stecher Estate. Saturday, Dec. 20 at 10:30 a.m. Located 4 miles south of Prairietown on Old Prairietown Road or 10 miles east of Alton on Route 140. Antiques and Collectors Items: Church or school bell 24 inch by 22 inch high with 26 inch wheel (cast steel), 9 piece dining room set (walnut and oak) very nice, walnut bed, tall secretary desk, oak square table, hi-fi in console cabinet, small drop leaf table, oak bed, crystal punch bowl set, leather inlaid coffee and end tables, small camel back trunk, flat top trunk, bronze elephant, wicker rocker and chair, wicker clothes hamper, some antique china and glass, hand carved oval coffee table, orange wicker chair, 2 Capia De Monta Italy table lamps, oak hanging shelves, 4 oak kitchen chairs, press back rocker, quilts, baskets, fancy electric lamps, brass lamp 2 press back chairs, 3 oak chairs, black amethyst lamp with brass base, 78 RPM records, old books, old post cards, 2 washstands, wood boxes, cane couch, rocker and chair to match. Plus, 6 Rooms of Household Items. Terms: Cash. Eileen Taylor, owner, 656-8947. Edward H. Ahrens & Sons, Auctioneers, Route 2, Staunton, Ill., 618-459-3620. 30 12-18

NOTICE
ATTENTION ALL GRANITE CITY RESIDENTS
There will be NO trash pickup on CHRISTMAS DAY, DECEMBER 25, 1980. Thursday and Friday trash will be picked up on Friday, December 26, 1980. Please have your trash out on Thursday night.
Trash not out will be picked up the following week on your regularly scheduled pickup day!
Thank You
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Cards of Thanks 31

TQ: Vernon, Ruth, Donna and all Checker Cab Drivers. When our house was robbed and Christmas was taken we just about gave up. But because of friends like you we now have Christmas again. Thank You. 31 12 18

Memoriams 32

IN LOVING memory of GEORGE I. STENITZER, Dec. 19, 1975. I want you to know you are never forgotten, That the old, old days hid in memory sweet; Are still a part of my life that I cherish, Without them so much would be incomplete. And you are mixed up with so much I remember, Your name so often I utter in prayer; Never forgotten on earth or in heaven, Always the child of God's tenderest care. Sadly missed by Wife and Children, Mother, Sisters and Brothers. 32 12 18

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IN LOVING memory of our father, GEORGE GIBSON, December 18, 1977. Sadly missed by His Children, Jeff, Joyce, Janice and Pamela. 32 12 18

IN LOVING memory of GEORGE "Hoot" GIBSON, Dec. 18, 1977. We cannot bring the old days back, When we were all together; But loving thoughts and memories, Will live with us forever. Sadly missed by Mom, Sisters and Brothers. 32 12 18

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Notice of Public Hearing

Re: Service changes in Illinois, to be implemented on January 1, 1981 or as soon thereafter as possible.

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held by Bi-State Development Agency at the Ambassador Building, 411 North 7th Street - Room 1105, St. Louis, Missouri on Tuesday, December 30, 1980. The hearing, which is scheduled to begin at 7:00 p.m., is for the purpose of considering changes in bus service which are proposed to be implemented. The proposed service changes are generally described below.

A. Description of Project

1. It is proposed to eliminate sixteen (16) Illinois routes: No. 502 Cahokia-Centreville, No. 504 O'Fallon, No. 505 Waterloo-St. Louis, No. 559 East St. Louis Fairview Heights, No. 561 East McKinley-Raab, No. 562 Lebanon Avenue, No. 564 Scott Air Force Base, No. 565 Swansea-North Belt, No. 703 Washington Park, No. 704 Missouri-Stockyards, No. 706 20th and Central, No. 709 East St. Louis Crosstown, No. 504X O'Fallon Express, No. 558X Tubman Express, No. 559X West Main Express, No. 560X Belleville Express.
2. Weekend service will be eliminated on three (3) Illinois routes: No. 560 Belleville-St. Louis, No. 702 Rosemont, No. 706 Alta Sita (20th and Central portion to be eliminated).
3. This proposal is contingent upon final action by St. Clair and Monroe Counties regarding the establishment of the transit district and tax levy.
4. Bi-State's service area includes St. Louis City, St. Louis County and Jefferson and St. Charles Counties in Missouri, and Madison, St. Clair and Monroe counties in Illinois.
5. The estimated transit operating budget for FY 1981 is $94,134,554. Of this amount, $20,615,235 will be provided by the Urban Mass Transportation Administration, $9,211,000 will be provided by the Illinois Department of Transportation, $274,000 will be provided by miscellaneous income, $23,813,856 will be provided by passenger revenue and $40,220,463 will be provided by local funding sources.

B. Relocation

"No persons, families, or businesses will be displaced by this project.

C. Environment

This project will not have a significant environmental impact upon the urban-service area.

D. Comprehensive Planning

This project is in conformance with comprehensive land use and transportation planning in the St. Louis area and is consistent with the adopted programming of projects in the Transportation Improvement Program.

E. Elderly and Handicapped

The design of the project contained herein will take into consideration the special needs of the elderly and handicapped.

F. Charter Bus Operations

Bi-State Development Agency does not engage in any charter services outside of the St. Louis, Missouri-Illinois Metropolitan District (inclusive of Alton, Illinois).

G. School Bus Service

Bi-State Development Agency does not engage in any school bus operations exclusively for the transportation of students or school personnel.

II. At the hearing, Bi-State Development Agency will afford an opportunity for interested persons or agencies to be heard with respect to the social, environmental, and economic aspects of the project. Interested persons may submit orally or in writing, evidence and recommendations with respect to said project.

III. Should the Urban Mass Transportation Administration (UMTA) prepare a formal statement of the environmental impact of the program, the availability of such statement from UMTA will be made known by application in the same manner as publication of the notice of public hearing.

IV. A copy of the application on the Operating Assistance Grant, the Transportation Development Program, and the Transportation Improvement Program for the area is currently available for public inspection at Bi-State Development Agency, 411 North 7th Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63101, between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Charles G. Houghton
Executive Director
Bi-State
Development Agency

No. 62 33 12 18

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PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice of Proposed Change in Schedule

To Patrons of Illinois Power Company:

The Illinois Power Company hereby gives notice to the public that it has filed with the Illinois Commerce Commission proposed changes in its Schedule of Rates for Electric and Gas Service which apply in all communities and areas in which the Company provides electric and gas service. Under certain situations, Illinois Power Company proposes in its filing to assess a charge of $5.00 to customers who pay for electric and-or gas service with a check which is returned to the Company marked "Not-Sufficient Funds" (NSF).

A copy of the proposed changes in schedules may be inspected by any interested party at any business office of the Company.

All parties interested in this matter may obtain information with respect thereto either directly from this Company or by addressing the Chief Clerk of the Illinois Commerce Commission, Sprngfield, Illinois 62706.

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Claim Notice
State of Illinois
In the Circuit Court of the Third Judicial Circuit
Madison County
Probate Division

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CLAUDE S. ECHOLS, DECEASED.
No. 80-P-1088

Notice is given of the death of the above.

Date Letters Were Issued: Nov. 25, 1980.

Executor: Nick D. Vasileff, Marie L. Fraundorf and Mattie Robertson.

Attorney: Nick D. Vasileff, 404 Madison Ave., Madison, Ill.

Claims against the estate may be filed in the office of the Circuit Court, Probate Division, County Courthouse in Edwardsville, Illinois, within 6 months from date of issuance of letters; and any claim not so filed is barred as to the estate inventoried witin that period. Also, copies of claims must be mailed or delivered to the executor and to the attorney.

WILLARD V. PORTELL
Clerk of the Circuit Court

No. 59 33 12 18 24 31

Sealed Bids

The Board of Education of Community Unit School District No. 9, Granite City, Illinois, is requesting sealed bids on the following items of supply and equipment. Detailed specifications may be obtained at the Board of Education Business Office, 20th and Adams Streets, Granite City, Illinois 62040. Bids are due in the office of the Board of Education, 20th and Adams Streets, Granite City, Illinois 62040, no later than 3:00 p.m. on dates as shown below. A public bid opening will be held at such time and place.

DECEMBER 29, 1980

Rebid — Fire Extinguishers.

JANUARY 5, 1981

Industrial Education — Miscellaneous Hardware.

No. 3 Canned Goods.

THOMAS MIOFSKY

No. 63 33 12 18

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
MADISON COUNTY, ILLINOIS

IN RE: THE MARRIAGE OF JACQUELINE JEAN ROBERTSON, a-k-a JACQUELINE JEAN ROBERTS, Petitioner,
and
ROBERT ROBERTSON, a-k-a WILLIAM LEE ROBERTS, Respondent.

No. 80-D-1880

TO: ROBERT ROBERTSON, a-k-a WILLIAM LEE ROBERTS

The requisite affidavit having been filed, Notice is hereby given you, Robert Robertson, respondent in the above-entitled cause, that the above suit has been commenced in the Circuit Court of Madison County, Illinois, by the said petitioner, Jacqueline Jean Roberts, against you, praying for a dissolution of marriage; that said suit is numbered 80-D-1880, and is still pending; and that respondent, Robert Robetson, is to be served by publication.

Now, therefore, unless you, Robert Robertson, said respondent, file your Answer to the Petition or otherwise appear in said unit in the Circuit Court of Madison County, Illinois, held in the Courthouse in the City of Edwardsville, Illinois, on or before January 26th, 1981, default may be entered against you at any time after that date and an Order entered in accordance with the prayer of said Petition.

Dated: December 15th, 1980.

WILLARD V. PORTELL
Clerk of the
Circuit Court
Madison County, Illinois

WILLIAM C. EVERS III
Attorney for Petitioner
109 East Clay Street
Collinsville, Illinois 62234
Phone: 618-345-8424

No. 61 33 12 18 24 31

Bid Notice

The City of Granite City will accept sealed marked bids until 7:00 p.m., December 30, 1980 in the City Clerk's Office for desktop computor, printer-plotter, fireware, software and other associated equipment for Waste Water Treatment Plant. Specifications available in the City Clerk's office.

ROBERT W. STEVENS
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SANTA'S WORKSHOP

Santa's Workshop, a fund-raiser sponsored by St. Joseph's Youth Ministries, will be held at St. Joseph's Convent, 2116 Edison Ave., now thru Dec. 23. Santa's Workshop features: movie, "Mouse in the Manger"; Elves' Workshop; Mrs. Santa Claus's Kitchen (with cookie); Nativity Scene; Santa Claus (himself) with a professional photographer on duty for those parents wishing to have their children's photo taken with Santa; and lastly, a Gift Shop where Christmas gift items will be sold. Admission: $1 per person (adult, FREE, when accompanied with child). Hours will be Monday thru Friday, 4:30 p.m.-8:00 p.m.; Saturday, 1:00 p.m.-8:00 p.m.; Sunday, 12 Noon-5:00 p.m. Proceeds from Santa's Workshop will benefit Scouts of Troop 7, Pack 7 of St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

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SANTA'S WORKSHOP

Santa Claus and his Elves are residing at Santa's Workshop, in St. Joseph's Convent, 2116 Edison Ave., now through Dec. 23.

Visiting children are escorted by Santa's Elves through Santa's Workshop, where they may view the movie, "The Three Monks," view the Elves at work making toys, receive a treat from Mrs. Santa Claus in her kitchen, view a Nativity Scene, visit with Santa, where a photographer will be on duty for those parents wishing to have their children's photo taken with Santa, and lastly; browse through the Gift Shop, where Christmas and gift items will be sold.

Admission to Santa's Workshop is $1 per person (adult, FREE, when accompanied with child.) Hours will be Monday thru Friday, 4:30 p.m. 'til 8:00 p.m.; Saturday, 1:00 p.m. 'til 8:00 p.m.; Sunday, 12 Noon 'til 5:00 p.m.; Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1:00 p.m. 'til 8:00 p.m.

Proceeds from Santa's Workshop will benefit Scouts of Troop 7, Pack 7 of St. Joseph's Catholic Church.

GRAND PRIZE WINNER in the Wilson School candy sales Kevin Knehans, center, receives a $100 check from Louise Modd, left, with his aunt, Mable Dacus, at the right.

Top candy salesman at Wilson is named

Awards were presented to the children of Wilson School for selling candy. Each child that sold $200 received a $20 check, each child that sold $100 received a $10 check. The children that sold $50 received a $5 check.

The grand prize winner had his choice of a $100 check, a black and white portable TV or a bicycle.

The grand prize winner was Kevin Knehans, he received a $100 check.

The $20 winners were, Amy Harper, Brenda Powell, Randall Wolfe, Roger Morthland, Amanda Bates, Kim Kramer, Shannon Holter, Jennifer Hockmuth, Charles Chronister, and Mildred Potts.

The $10 winners were, Misty Legate, Rex Chronister, Jennifer Gooss, Jennifer Norris, Kevin Lievens, Jason West, Chris Anderson, Mark Henson, Steve Willaredt, Dana Brockman, Billy Yorbrough, Amy Hall, Daniel Thomas, Todd Rhodes, Yvonne Charter, Beth Muller, Christina Dickerman, Neal Rappsis, Lisa Elkins, Terri Holtgrave, Leslie Smithson, Earl Warren, Anissa Bryant, Kim Walle, Terri Oveton, Bobbie Burns, Rhonda Jackel, Jimmy Revelle, Kenny Vishen, Jeffery McGathey, Ross Jamison, Rhonda Legate, Eric Welker, Tyson Smock, Chad Duke, Cheryl Rippenges, Jennifer Brand, Buddy Vinson, David Whitehead, Keri Hannah, Jennifer Dettwiler, Allan Ledbetter, Tina Dickerson, Gary Wilson, Eric Milles, Michelle Sereos, Tim Jackson, John Moad, Timothy Harrigan, Craig Yager, and Kenny McGee.

The $5 winners were, Jessica Derosset, Trampas North, Mike Schehl, Steve Taft, Jerry Walker, Tina Conklin, Kevin Weiss, Donna Harris, Chris Barnes, Jimmy Wasson, Kim Morgan, Shannan McDonald, Rebecca SanSaucie, Cathy Campbell, Jerry VanGilder, Brandi Myers, David Oberle, Karen Farless, David Pyles, Kelly McDonald, Paul Hogan, Billy Bucks, and Kelly McClure.

Allen counselor, student senator

Mike Allen, son of Richard Allen of Granite City, is participating in the Blackburn College Peer Group Counselor (PGC) program in the 1980-81 academic year.

PGC's are chosen on a yearly basis by the selection committee: Jim Bottrell, coordinator of the program and college counselor; Dr. Jerry Schaeffer, professor of psychology; Jim West, director of housing, and his assistant; and the college student marshal.

Bottrell says, "The PGC's must be flexible, dependable, motivated, enthusiastic, non-judgmental, understanding and confidential. They must also have the ability to work in groups and actively have an interest in helping others."

Once students have been chosen to be PGC's, after extensive interviews and applications, they are placed on a dormitory floor in which they will act as counselor to their peers. Mike Allen is the PGC for Butler dormitory, 3rd floor, and has 34 residing students.

Also involved in the internship program at Blackburn, Allen works 27 hours a week at the McFarland Health Zone, a mental institute located outside of Springfield.

In this program, students take their classroom theory and knowledge and apply it in a practical sense — in a working environment similar to their field of study.

A psychology major, he says, "The practical experience has given me much insight into my field of study. It has allowed me to grow outside the classroom, and is preparing me for future employment in the psychology field."

Another achievement this year for Allen was his selection to the Student Senate. The Senate is the judiciary council that governs the social life of students living on campus. Selection to this committee is determined by a campuswide election.

Blackburn College, founded in 1837, is a coeducational liberal arts college.

Allen participates in the college's student work program, performing 15 hours of on-campus work each week in partial payment of his education.

The work program, founded in 1913, requires that ll Blackburn resident students assist in day-to-day operation of the college and in construction of new campus facilities.

THIEF TAKES PURSE

A package containing a $25 brown leather purse was stolen from the parked auto of Phyllis Slone of the 4200 block of Marigold Friday evening at 3701 Nameoki Road.

NOTICE
TO NAMEOKI TOWNSHIP TAXPAYERS

Mr. James Barton, Supervisor of Assessments for Madison County has reassessed virtually all property in Nameoki Township for the taxable year 1980, payable in 1981.

The increases in assessments are substantially higher than in the previous year of 1979. Mr. Barton's office has reassessed townships in Madison County last year and three other townships this year, including Nameoki Township to obtain a better sales ratio balance within townships, according to Illinois State Law; which requires property to be assessed at thirty-three percent of sales each year.

Sales prices for old and new homes have risen from approximately twenty to fifty percent more in the past three years due to the inflationary market.

People, who have bought homes at the inflationary market prices in the last three years are causing all homes in the township to be assessed at a much higher level because of the State Law which requires sales to be applied to all homes in the township.

Although the assessment levels of the homes in the township are increased, this does not necessarily mean that your tax bill, to be paid in 1981 for your 1980 taxes will increase substantially. If the governmental bodies hold their tax rate down with adjustments by the Board of Review; the increase in the tax bills can be held to a minimum.

The tax assessments for Nameoki Township will be published in the Granite City Press-Record sometime during the month of December.

If the taxpayer is not satisfied with his or her assessment, complaint forms will be available at my office at 78 Cambridge Dr., Granite City, and at the Township Office, 4250 Hwy. 162, Granite City; which are to be filled out and sent to the Board of Review, Edwardsville, for a hearing date. You have within twenty days to file a complaint form with the Board of Review after publication.

Any taxpayer, who needs help or information in filling out their complaint form can call the Assessor's Office, 931-5688.

CARL MACIOS
Nameoki Tax Assessor

Housing recovery may resume after short pause

The surge in interest rates since September will bring a temporary halt to the recent housing recovery and threaten a second decline in national output early next year, Dr. Jack Carlson, executive vice president and chief economist of the National Association of Realtors, said this week.

"While housing construction and investment in new commercial and industrial structures and equipment will decline during the next six months," Carlson said in his December outlook for the economy and real estate, "modest increases in consumer purchases of services and nondurable goods may keep overall growth on the positive side during the first half of 1981."

He added that national output of goods and services is expected to increase less than 1 percent next year following a 0.7 percent decline in 1980.

A stronger recovery should be in place by the second half of next year, he added, and continue into 1982.

He expects the economy to grow by more than 4 percent in 1982, slightly better than the 3 percent annual growth average in the 1970s.

Carlson said the unemployment rate is expected to exceed 8 percent next year before trending down to 7 percent by late 1982.

"Together with ongoing double-digit growth in labor costs and more rapidly rising energy prices," Carlson said, "consumer price inflation will likely remain near 12 percent in 1981 and moderate only slightly in 1982.

"As interest rates in general begin to decline early in 1981 and the demand for mortgages softens, some pressure will be taken off mortgage interest rates and mortgage borrowing costs by mid-1981.

"The recent increase in mortgage rates has dampened a modest improvement in housing activity.

"After four consecutive months of rising activity, sales of existing single-family homes dropped 2.4 percent in October to a seasonally adjusted annual rate of 3.3 million units.

"This was 15.7 percent below sales of a year earlier. The October decline was felt in most areas of the country, but was heaviest in the South and West regions," Carlson said.

"Further sales declines can be expected over the next few months. However, the predicted easing of interest rates by spring — and an improving economy — should lay the base for a significant increase in resale activity during the second half of 1981.

"Overall resales next year are expected to average 3.3 million units," Carlson said, "up 13 per cent from the 2.9 million level of 1980.

"An improving economy and more stable interest rates are likely to push sales to a record of more than 4 million units during 1982.

"While the near term outlook for non-residential construction is not altogether encouraging, the long-run picture is somewhat brighter.

"New incentives to stimulate investment in new structures and equipment and an improvement in overall economic activity should encourage commercial and industrial construction in the latter half of 1982 and in 1983."

Holiday drinking can bring tragedy

By MARY RICHARDS
Illinois Department
of Public Health

The holidays are a festive time of year, and a part of many celebrations is the traditional cocktail or eggnog party with which many of us toast the old and new years.

Unfortunately, many people tend to overdo the holiday spirits, and tragedy is often the result.

Medically, alcohol is a drug which depresses your central nervous system as a general anesthetic and slows the activity of your brain and spinal cord.

Your body does not digest alcohol as it does food. The alcohol you drink is absorbed directly from your stomach and intestines into your bloodstream.

This absorption takes place rapidly, especially if your stomach is empty.

What often happens, then, is that people who have had a few "cups of cheer" will drive. Even the "social drinker," who thinks she or he is all right and not affected by alcohol, is dangerous behind the wheel.

That person is, after all, driving while the central nervous system is depressed and brain activity is slowed down.

And the "problem drinker," who has a record of arrests for offenses involving alcohol, is an even bigger problem. This type of drinker is responsible for two-thirds of the fatalities involving alcohol.

In all but two states, you are presumed to be drunk if your blood alcohol concentration (BAC) is .10 percent or higher. In the other two states, the legal level of intoxication is even less that .10 percent.

How much alcohol does it take to raise your BAC to that level? An average 150-pound person could consume a 12-ounce bottle of beer or an ounce of whiskey in one hour with no significant accumulation of alcohol in the blood.

But, if you drink faster than that, you are going to become drunk.

Once the blood alcohol concentration in a 150-pound person reaches the intoxication level, it takes three hours for that level to drop below the non-intoxicated level.

Neither cold showers, nor fresh air, black coffee or raw eggs will shorten that time.

That old maxim is true — "If you drive, don't drink." So, don't overdo the holiday spirits.

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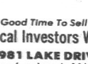
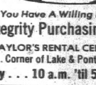

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SPEECH AND DEBATE STUDENTS of Granite City High School South who earned honors at the Little Egypt Speech and Debate Tournament at Carbondale are, front row from left, Patti Flanigan, Desiree Gargac, Steve Hay, Gene Scroggins, David Apperson and Mike Moore. Second row, Mike Schmidt, David Hunnicutt, Pat Collins, and Mark Smith. Back row, Pam Stavely, Sue Shanta, Wendy McIlvoy, Kim Evans and Karen Abrams.

Speech students earn honors

The Granite City High School South individual events and debate students finished second, in a field of 20 schools, at the Little Egypt Speech and Debate Tournament at Southern Illinois University at Carbondale.

Pattie Flanigan earned a second place speaker award in the novice debate division.

The following members of the South individual events team qualified for finals after four preliminary rounds of speech competition:

In the novice division; Wendy McIlvoy earned fourth in radio speaking, David Hunnicutt sixth in prose reading, Kim Evans fifth in orgiginal oratory, Mark Smith third in verse reading, and Mike Schmidt first place in oratorical declamation.

In the varsity division; David Apperson and Gene Scroggisn earned first in humorous duet acting, Mike Moore second in humorous interpretation, Steve Hay and Desiree Gargac third in humourous duet acting.

Desiree Gargac fourth in prose reading, Steve Hay fourth in original comedy, Karen Abrams and Mike Moore fourth in humorous duet acting; Sue Shanta fourth in humorous interpretation, Pat Collins fifth in humorous interpretation, Jane Geggus fifth in original comedy and Pam Stavely sixth in oratorical declamation.

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Center needs clothing

Chirstmas is a time for giving and the Coordinate Youth Clothing Center is in need of clothing to give to boys and girls, sizes two through eight, especially winter coats and shoes.

Pants, blue jeans and shirts are also needed for children in these size groups in addition to any type of clothing for babies.

The center will accept any and all types of clothing for persons of all ages and will pick up any donations for the center. Those having clothing for the center may call 876-2383 to make arrangements for the items to be picked up.

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Varied night classes in Madison, Venice

"Energy-conscious students may want to register for classes in Madison and Venice this winter and spring rather than driving unnecessarily to the main Belleville Area College campus," a BAC spokesman said this week.

"Credit classes are scheduled locally, and credits will transfer readily to other colleges and universities."

Physical fitness will be offered at the Venice extension center. Registration will be Jan. 5, 6 and 7 from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Venice High School guidance office.

Venice Coordinator Albert Schaefer may be contacted at 877-6910 for further information.

Credit courses to be taught at Madison High are typing I, welding I, health, general psychology, and elementary Spanish.

Numerous non-credit courses will be offered in Madison to help develop talents and skills for improved job situations or for hobbies.

They are: preparing your income tax, beginning mideast dance, disco dance, photography I and II, know your car, home air-conditioning and refrigeration, beginning sewing, intermediate sewing, interior design.

Also upholstery, woodworking and furniture refinishing, cake and food decoration I, conversational Spanish, art, drawing and painting, physical fitness, auto body repair, welding, auto mechanics, small gasoline engines, and advanced heating and air-conditioning.

Registration for Madison classes will be Jan. 5, 6 and 7 from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. in Room 109 of Madison High School.

Further information may be obtained from BAC Madison Coordinator Charles Steptoe at 876-7135 (after 6 p.m.).

4-H club to entertain

The Different Strokers 4-H club will present an original play "The Magnificent Christmas" at 7 p.m. Monday, Dec. 22, in the Granite City Township Hall.

The play is being presented to the Senior Citizens.

After the play the Fifty-Eighters 4-H Club will serve refreshments.

Tickets are on sale for $1 and information may be obtained by telephoning Claudine Snelson 877-3876.

The Different Strokers 4-H will hold their Christmas party Sunday, Dec. 21, according to Kevin Pickard at Stoppkotties Roller Rink.

At the meeting Teresa Warnhoff reported that the club had only 25 cans of candy left to sell.

A Share-the-fun committee was appointed with Jerri Lewis, chairman. Serving on the committee will be Kevin Pickard, Hazel Utley, Teresa Warnhoff and Amy Mason.

At the meeting demonstrations were presented by Rex Snelson, Kevin Pickard and Hazel Utley.

Refreshments were provided by Ami Brooks and Snelson.

The next meeting of the club will be Saturday, Jan. 10, at the Nameoki Presbyterian Church.

Leaders of 4-H honored

Madison County 4-H adult leaders were honored at the 4-H leaders appreciation banquet this month in Edwardsville. The banquet and awards program is an annual event, sponsored by the 4-H Federation to show appreciation to the volunteer leaders for service and leadership given to 4-H club work throughout the county.

There are currently 860 4-H members in the county between the ages of 8 and 19, 45 clubs, and 98 leaders.

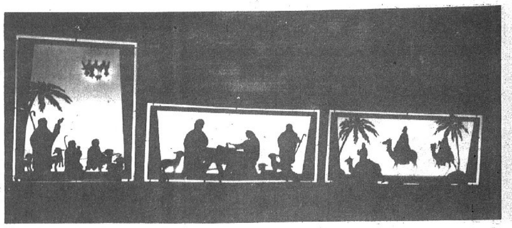
Leaders receiving pins for one to four years of completed club leadership included Linda Fulcher, Claudine Snelson, Belinda Hoffman, Arla Ault and Beta Milianis, all of Granite City.

A certificate for six years of service was awarded to Joanna Spencer of Granite City.

A Christmas carol highlight of the evening was presented by a String Ensemble of Edwardsville 4-H members.

Guests joined in singing favorite carols as Santa Claus passed out handicraft treats to all.

Four-H Federation members serving on the planning committee were: Margaret Lewis, chairman; Janice Nagel, David and Susan Gvillo, Annette Nolte, Barb Geiger and Geri Bower, homemaking extension adviser.



THE CHRISTMAS STORY for 23 years at Concordia Lutheran Church, 2301 Grand Ave., has been portrayed on the front lawn by means of shadow boxes. The late Herbert Rapp, assisted by the late Charles Droege, both members of the church, constructed the shadow boxes beginning with the manger scene in 1958, using Christmas cards as the pattern.

City agrees to water rate hike

Reluctantly, the Granite City Council Tuesday night went on record as supporting a 7½ percent rate hike for the Illinois-American Water Co.

The council was informed by City Attorney John Papa that Illinois Commerce Commission held hearings on a proposed rate increase of 14.6 percent for Illinois-American.

The ICC heard objections from several large water users, including Granite City Steel, American Steel Foundries, Monsanto, the Mitchell Public Water Co. and others, as well as representatives from several of the cities served by the utility, including Granite City.

All of the industries, as well as the cities of Belleville, Waterloo and Shiloh had agreed to an increase between 7½ and 8 percent, Papa reported. A letter was read from the ICC, noting that Granite City was one of the interveners in the rate hike hearings, and asking the city council to go on record as supporting the 7½ to 8 percent hike.

Mayor Paul Schuler told the council, "Obviously, no one wants an increase, but all of the industries have agreed, so we have very little choice."

Alderman Roy Poulos supported the increase, saying, "With our of our utilities being as high as they are, water is the cheapest per residential user we have."

Poulos seconded a motion by Alderman Lloyd Bailey that the city agree to the increase and it was approved with only Alderman Everett Morlen voting no. Aldermen Paul Ray Bowler and Margaret Nonn were absent.

VENICE BURGLARY

A 19-inch color television was stolen from the home of Thelma Tanner, 614 Washington Ave., Venice, during a burglary discovered at 9:15 p.m. Thursday. A window in a door was broken to gain entry.

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